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PIRATES THREATEN TO SET STEAMER ON FIRE

GANDHI IN SERIOUS CONDITION BUT DOCTORS STILL HOPEFUL

Poona, May 26.
Gandhi's doctors are still hopeful that the Mahatma will survive his fast, which comes to an end at noon on Monday. To-day's bulletin states that his condition will continue to be critical for some time after the end of the fast and that it will be at least three weeks before he will be regarded as out of danger.—*Reuter*.

NAZIS MAY BE BANNED

OFFICIAL ACTION IN AUSTRIA

"REDS" ALREADY PROSCRIBED

(Special to "Telegraph")

Vienna, May 26.
The Communist Party of Austria has been officially banned.

The decision of the authorities is the sequel to the recent activities of the Party, which are described as illegal and dangerous to the State.

The opinion is expressed that the next step of the Austrian Government will be the banning of the Nazi movement.—*Reuter*.

DISARMAMENT OBSTACLES

BRITISH CABINET MEETING

London, May 26.
Recent developments at the Disarmament Conference were examined by the Cabinet at a special meeting this afternoon, at which the Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, who returned from Geneva last night, attended.

After a lengthy debate on naval disarmament, the general Committee of the Disarmament Conference at Geneva to-day adopted the first reading of Part Two of the British draft convention, the authors of fourteen amendments agreeing to withdraw them, pending private negotiations with the British representative. The right to reintroduce the amendments on the second reading is reserved.—*British Wireless*.

ORDERED HOME

INDIAN CONGRESS SECRETARY

Poona, May 26.
The Government has ordered Mr. Dalatram, the Secretary of the Congress to leave Bombay and to return to his home in Sind. Mr. Aney, the President of the Congress has instructed Dalatram to conform to the order, but has entered a protest against the Government's action in view of the suspension of civil disobedience.—*Reuter*.

U.S. BANK RATE

THREE PER CENT. IN CHICAGO

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Chicago, May 26.
The Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago has reduced the rediscount rate from three and a half per cent. to three per cent.—

CAPTAIN'S STIRRING STORY

THE CAPTURE OF S.S. PROMINENT

ARMED LAUNCH IN PURSUIT

CAPTAIN JENSEN SHOT IN THE LEG

The well-known Hongkong coastal steamer *Prominent* is the latest pirate victim.

The master of the vessel, Captain H. Jensen was wounded in the leg, shot by one of the gang, in the early stages of the affair and has been taken to Kowloon Hospital.

The unusual feature of the latest piratical coup is the fact that the vessel was actually sighted, under very suspicious circumstances, by the No. 4 Police launch, while still, apparently, in the hands of the pirates.

It is understood that at eleven o'clock last night, the police launch, which was patrolling the Mica Bay region in connexion with anti-piracy work, when a vessel was sighted steaming into the bay.

REFUSED TO STOP

Efforts were made to signal the steamer, but no reply was received and she refused to stop. A five o'clock this morning, the No. 4 Police launch reported that the *Prominent* had been pirated and her captain shot.

She was attacked by fourteen men armed with revolvers and taken to the *Shan*, opposite Ping Shan in Mica Bay, where the pirates made their escape.

POLICE CHASE

One report states that the police launch actually gave chase to the departing pirates, but was too late on the scene to effect a capture. This has not been confirmed.

The extent of the haul is not yet known. It is, however, stated that no one aboard was taken away for ransom. It is believed that the pirates got away as quickly as they could because of a fear of unwelcome attentions by the police launch.

CAPTAIN'S STORY

Captain Jensen, interviewed in hospital, said they left Hongkong at 8 p.m. on the 23rd.

When near the Paracels Island, at two o'clock in the morning, he was awakened by sounds of shouting, rushed out and found the second officer, engaged in a fight with five men.

The captain thought it to be a coolie fight and joined in the scuffle. One of the pirates fired two shots at him and he was struck just above the knee, the second shot hitting a cable on deck.

The second officer was thrown bodily from the bridge to the deck below and rendered hors de combat.

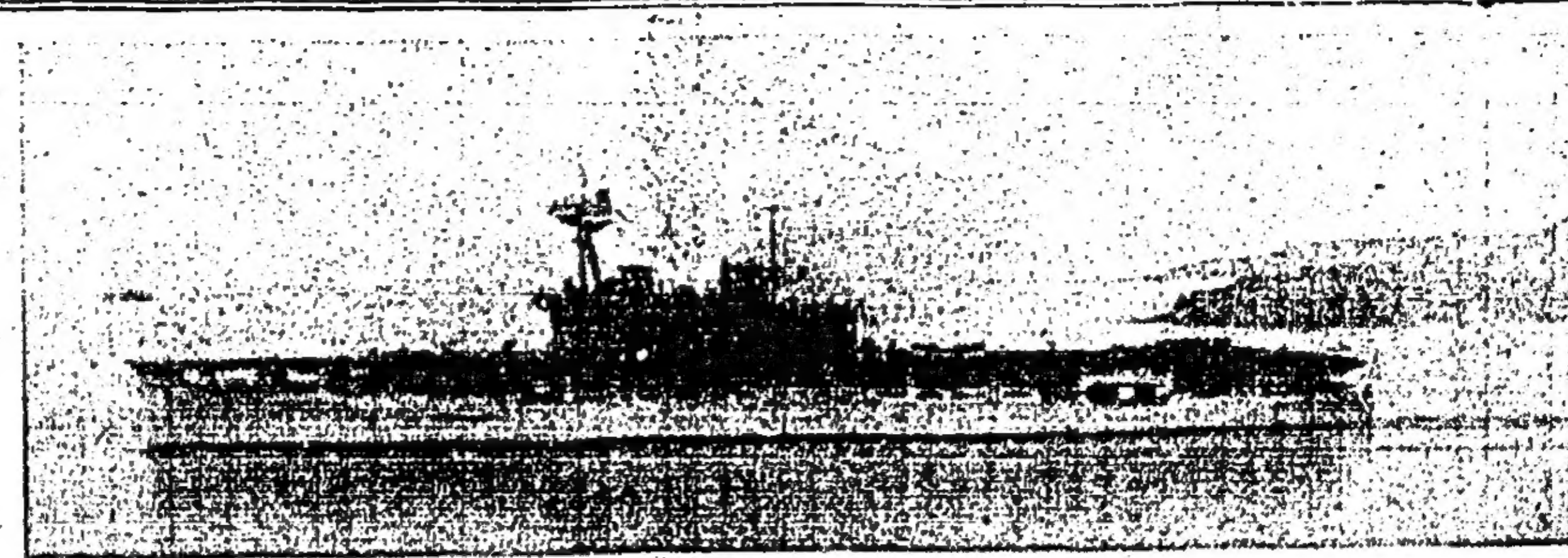
The other officers were confined to their rooms, and Captain Jensen, although wounded, was compelled to steer the ship under the direction of the pirate chief.

LAUNCH IN CONTACT

Last night, a launch came on the scene and was following them up. The pirates threatened that unless the launch withdrew they would set fire to the ship. The launch was, therefore, requested, for the sake of the ship, to keep at distance.

When the pirates left, the launch steamed up and opened fire on the departing craft, but it is believed that they successfully evaded the launch.

Captain Jensen says the launch was a Customs launch. At the time of going to press it was impossible to ascertain whether he mistook the police launch for a



H.M.S. Eagle, the giant aircraft-carrier, which is to replace H.M.S. Hermes on the China Station, is shown above leaving Plymouth Sound for the Far East. The Eagle has been delayed by an explosion which occurred aboard her. She is due in Hongkong on June 10.

U.S. GOLD STANDARD DECISION

ABANDONMENT TO BE MADE LEGAL MEASURE

FURTHER DEPRESSION OF DOLLAR?

(SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH")

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WASHINGTON, MAY 26.
THE PAYMENT OF WAR DEBTS IN PAPER DOLLARS IS MADE LEGAL BY A BILL FOR THE ABOLITION OF THE GOLD STANDARD INTRODUCED IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO-DAY.

Congress is certain to pass the measure, which, it is believed in some State Department circles, will have the effect of further depressing the dollar on international exchanges and perhaps enable the United States to stabilise her currency on a lower level than would otherwise be possible.

New York bankers, however, are of opinion that the measure is mainly designed to legalise the *de facto* situation and clear up the anomalous situation resulting from the present gold clauses in a billion dollars' worth of public and private obligations.

WAR DEBTS IN PAPER MONEY

Mr. W. H. Woodin, the Secretary to the Treasury, states that the purpose of the Bill is to remove any doubt in regard to the legal position of debtors and creditors in regard to gold payments.

The Bill adds an amendment to the Farm Relief Bill, declaring: "All coins and currencies of the United States, including Federal Reserve notes, circulating notes of the Federal Reserve Banks and the National Banking Associations heretofore or hereafter coined or issued shall be legal tender for all debts public and private and taxes, duties and dues."

The Bill also legalises the payment of war debts in paper dollars.—*Reuter*.

BILL INTRODUCED

Washington, May 26.
It was officially announced to-day that the United States is to go off the gold standard by statute.

Abandonment will therefore become complete and irrevocable until the law has been repealed. It is believed that the object of President Roosevelt is to avoid reducing the gold content of the dollar.

Soon after the official announcement, a Bill providing for the abolition of the gold standard was introduced in the House of Representatives by Mr. Stengall, the chairman of the Banking Committee of the House.

WAR DEBT ISSUE

He explained that the passage of the legislation would enable

foreign debtors to pay their war debts in any money which is regarded as legal tender in the United States.

He also explained that the Bill was being introduced at the request of President Roosevelt.

The Bill, said Mr. Stengall, "frees the United States from the obstacles and handicaps of the gold standard."

It is an Administration Bill and part of President Roosevelt's emergency relief programme.

NO DEVALUATION

The law will make it unnecessary for the President to devalue the gold dollar under the inflation provisions of the Farm Relief Act.—*Reuter*.

NATHAN ROAD ISLANDS

FOR BETTER SAFETY OF PEDESTRIANS

Islands in the centre of the road, catering for better safety of pedestrians, have been erected at the junction of Nathan Road and Jordan Road. The 20 m.p.h. limit, between Nanking Street and outside the new Alhambra Theatre has been extended between Jordan Road and the new theatre.

The islands are similar to the one erected at the corner of Nathan Road and Salisbury Road, outside the Peninsula Road. W. Le lines, connecting the islands with the pavement on either side, have been marked on the road. A long felt want has been met, at the busy junction of Nathan and Jordan Roads.—*Reuter*.

FOUR-POWER PACT DISCUSSIONS

London, May 26.

It is understood that the question of the proposed Four-Power Pact was further considered in London to-day on the return of Sir John Simon from Geneva and that it is being actively discussed between the British and French Governments.—*British Wireless*.

MORGAN INQUIRY SCENE

COUNSEL'S STATUS CHALLENGED

ACID RETORT BY MR. PECORA

Washington, May 26.

A scene between Senator Glass and Mr. Pecora, one of the interrogators, marked the resumption of the Morgan inquiry to-day.

Senator Glass challenged Mr. Pecora's authority, declaring that the committee's minutes disclosed no record of Pecora's employment as counsel.

Mr. Pecora acidly retorted amidst applause that the Committee could have his resignation for the asking.

When the inquiry continued, the utilities magnate, Mr. George Howard, President of the United Corporation in 1929 acquired certain utilities and stock from the J. P. Morgan Company at \$12,000 below market price.



Senator Glass.

ENQUIRY ADJOURNED

Mr. Howard said that the Morgan Company had acquired controlling interest of the United Corporation which holds interests in utilities companies which were doing a large part of the gas and electric business of the country. The inquiry was adjourned until May 31.—*Reuter*.

XIXTH ARMY AND THE TRUCE

NEGOTIATIONS MAY BE DENOUNCED

Shanghai, May 27.
Observers are again directing their attention on Fukien politics. It is announced semi-officially that the Nineteenth Route Army officials in Fukien, under Generals Tsai Ting-kai and Chiang Kwang-hai, famous defenders of Shanghai last year, are about to leave an important Japanese base, the Nineteenth Route Army, and negotiate with the Japanese in Fukien.—*Reuter*.

GRIM FIGHT WITH PIRATES

SIX KILLED AND SEVEN WOUNDED

CHINESE VESSEL'S ADVENTURE

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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SHANGHAI, MAY 27.

A GRIMLY DRAMATIC TALE OF A DESPERATE BATTLE ABOARD THE CHINESE STEAMER, KUNGCHANTAI, WAS RELATED WHEN THE VESSEL WAS TOWED INTO LIUHO, NEAR WOOSUNG, YESTERDAY AFTERNOON WITH SIX MEMBERS OF HER CREW DEAD AND SEVEN OTHERS SERIOUSLY INJURED.

The Kungchantai was compelled, by a sudden gale, to put into a small bay on the northern coast in the vicinity of Paikongshieyang.

Towards nightfall, the vessel was attacked from three junks which put out from the shore. The crew put up a gallant resistance, but only a few arms were available while the buccaneers were armed to the teeth.

After six of the crew had been killed and seven seriously wounded, they were compelled to surrender. The vessel was then thoroughly looted.

SHIP DISABLED BY RAIDERS

The Kungchantai is a Chinese vessel which plies regularly between Dairen and Shanghai.

She was on her way down to Shanghai with a large cargo of fish and ran into a stiff gale against which the Chinese skipper decided not to contend.

He put into a small bay and dropped anchor off the coast near Paikongshieyang and towards dusk the attack was launched.

ARMED TO TEETH

Three junks appeared round the vessel loaded with pirates, armed with pistols, swords, spears and other weapons.

At least fifty took part in the attack and they swarmed up the ship's side from several points at once.

The captain rallied his men and a gallant attempt was made to beat off the raiders, but the defenders lost one man after another and finally were compelled to surrender, with thirteen men victims, six dead and seven seriously wounded.

VESSEL DISABLED

The buccaneers then looted the vessel from stern to stern and divested the passengers of all their valuables and money and most of their other possessions.

After completing their haul, they proceeded to the engine room and proceeded to smash the machinery, damaged the telegraph and then deliberately wrecked the steering gear, leaving the Kungchantai practically helpless.

They departed finally taking the compasses and the boatswain with them, presumably intending to hold them for ransom.

A RESCUE SHIP

On the following day, a passing junk informed of the Kungchantai's plight, communicated with another Chinese steamer, which hurried to the scene and took the helpless Kungchantai into tow.

The two ships reached Liuho yesterday, the dead being buried there, but the wounded were given attention.—*Reuter*.

CONVERSION LOAN OFFER

HEAVY DEMAND IN LONDON

London, May 26.

No less than \$74,540,000. was applied for when tenders for 2½ per cent. conversion loan 1944/49 and Treasury bills were opened, to-day.

In the conversion loan \$7,719,000 was allotted, applicants at £92 receiving 26 per cent. of requirements and above in full.

In bills for three months \$42,230,000 was allotted, tenders at £99-18-4 receiving 63 per cent. Above in full.—*British Wireless*.

LO. WEN-KAN RESIGNATION STORY

BELIEVED TO BE INCORRECT

The Hongkong *Standard* paper this morning contains a report to the effect that Mr. Lo Wen-kan, the Nanking Foreign Minister, has tendered his resignation as a result of a disagreement over the policy to be pursued in North China.

A *Reuter* report from Shanghai indicates that the report is unreliable.

MIGHT TRIUMPHS IN EASTERN ASIA

Berlin Paper on Sino-Japanese Dispute

Berlin, May 26.

"Japan will certainly carry through her demand to China, and this denotes a historic milestone, perhaps a new epoch in world history," declares *Deutsche Wochenschrift*, the German organ.

The paper adds that without deciding on what side of eastern Asia the moral justice lies, the fact remains that might has triumphed there for the stronger over the weaker.—*Reuter*.

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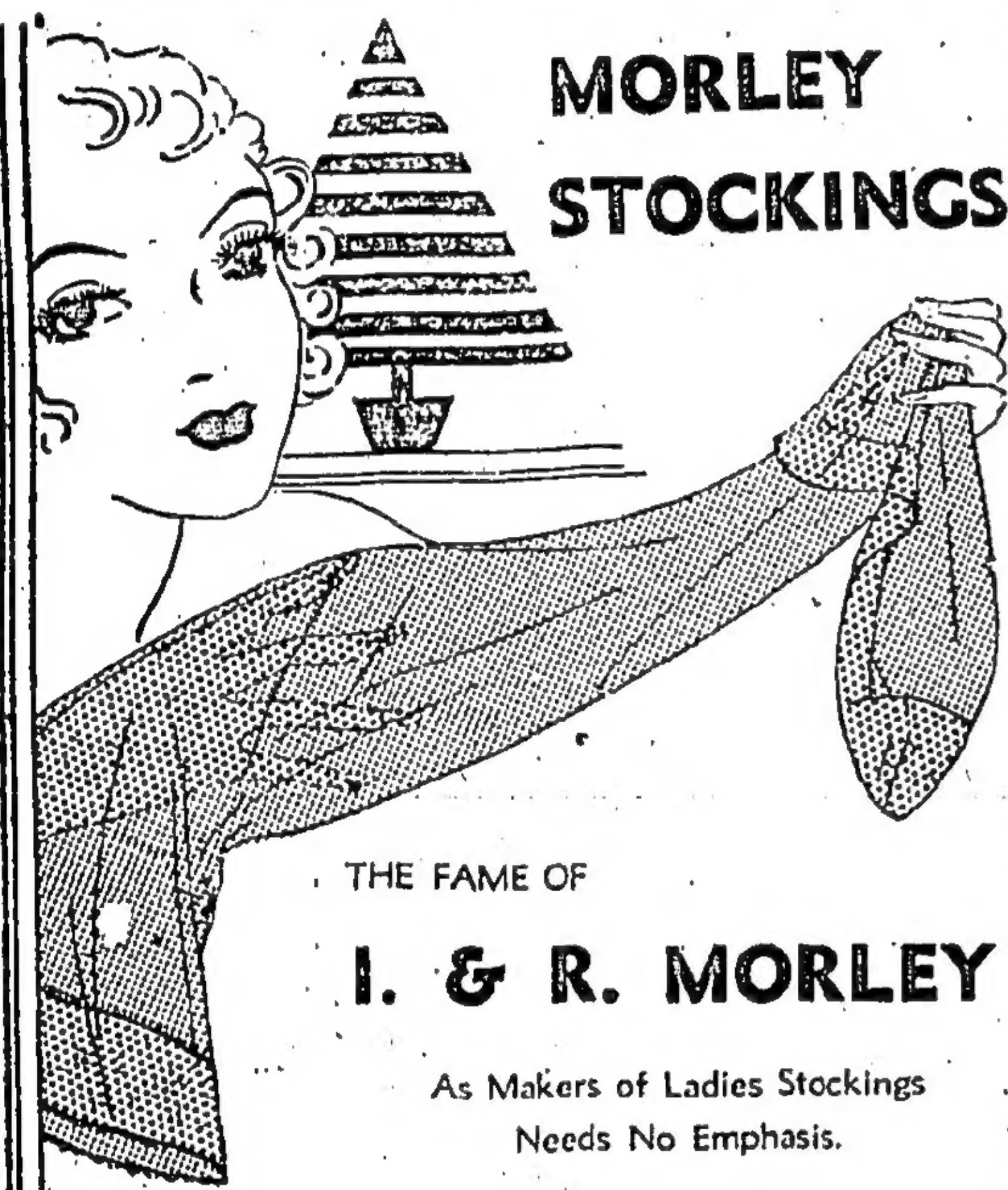
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THE WORLD OF WOMEN

AHOY, THERE SAILOR!

Smart Hollywoodians Adopt the Brimmed Hat



Muriel Evans

Hollywood.—You don't have to go down to the sea in ships to wear a sailor hat these days. Everybody out here has at least one!

Muriel Evans wears a checkered black and white cellophane sailor, with velvet bow and banding for trim, that repeats the checkered black and white of her Ascot tie scarf.

Sheila Terry, wore a blue taffeta ensemble—the jacket like a man's Tux—topped by a white pique sailor, like her white pique vest.

Benita Hume, wore a greyish tan tailored suit, with a blouse and scarf of mulberry red crepe, and a mulberry red straw sailor hat.

Patricia Ellis, wore a black crepe dress with white collar and a black shiny sailor hat, with white band.

Marion Nixon, wore a Shetland suit, cut with reglan sleeves and a narrow brown patent leather belt, a pink blouse and a brown sailor hat banded in brown and pink.

Ruby Keeler wore a black and white ensemble, with a shallow crowned white pique sailor, like her short jacket's pique.

GLORIFYING YOURSELF.

**New High Hats Call
for Careful
Application of Rouge.**

By Alicia Hart

If you have gone high-hat this spring, don't dip too heavily into the paint pot when you rouge.

The new high hats are hard to wear. Don't get your rouge on wrong or too heavily, thus making your hats harder to wear.

If you have a round face, broad through the cheek-bones, then rouge about half-way between your nose and your ears, in a manner that spreads the rouge gently up and down, rather than widening it across your cheeks.

This tends to elongate your facial contour.

However, if you have too long and thin a face to begin with, and your high hat makes it look even longer and thinner, then spread your rouge wide at the sides of your cheeks, for this gives the illusion of more width.

If your skin is dry, be sure to use a cream powder base. Or moisten your skin before applying rouge. You'd be surprised how efficacious plain cold water is in this respect. Just splash your face with water, don't dry it off and put on your rouge. Of course the water dries, so it isn't as permanent a help as cream powder base, but it does help you get rouge on so that it looks natural.

Remember that looking natural is an asset this year. It's a season for lady-looks. Too-red cheeks are not right, they are too artificial. Let your eyes and lips speak for you and your cheeks stay demurely natural looking.



YOUR CHILDREN.

By Olive Roberts Barton

All of us are victims of mental suggestion. And children are especially susceptible.

This is why we should weigh almost every word we say to a child. It never does to talk to children very much about themselves at any time, but to jump ahead anticipating trouble and voicing it to them is almost sure to bring the real thing in its wake.

Billy is tired. His face is flushed and he doesn't want his lunch.

His mother naturally is worried and the first thing she does is to express her fears to Billy himself. "You're sick, darling. I just know it." She feels his head. "Yes, you're very hot."

Then expecting Billy to contradict her alarm, to give her the comfort she simply must have, she follows up with, "Go on and eat your soup now. Maybe if you eat your soup and then lie down you'll be all right."

So Billy Gets "Sick"

Billy doesn't eat his soup and then she reverts to her first line. "You mustn't go to school this afternoon. Come on, we'll go upstairs and I'll tuck you into bed."

Chuck calls for Billy and Billy, halfway up the stairs, pulls a long face and says, "I'm sick, Chuck. I'm going to bed."

So Chuck goes off to school and says, "Billy is sick," and Billy knows it and knows also that he has a reputation to live up to now.

About 3 o'clock he feels fine. He has had a sleep and he is hungry.

"I'm hungry," he calls to his mother.

"You'd better not eat anything, dear. I'm sure you are feverish, and—well, wait. I'll warm up a little soup for you."

"I don't want soup. I want some pancakes."

"You'd better go back to bed. I'll get you some clear soup."

Billy kills time with a book. His stomach is empty, his head is starting to ache, and reading doesn't help it.

And Finally, Doctor!

His back gets cramped from lying, so his mother brings the electric pad. The shades are drawn. There is a bottle of mild physic on the dresser. The whole place has the atmosphere of a sick room. His mother is telephoning to Grandma that Billy is sick. She says she thinks she'll have to call the doctor. Billy gets more and more worried. Ah! There's a pain in his ear. Goodness! There's another in his stomach! "Mom, I'm awful sick!"

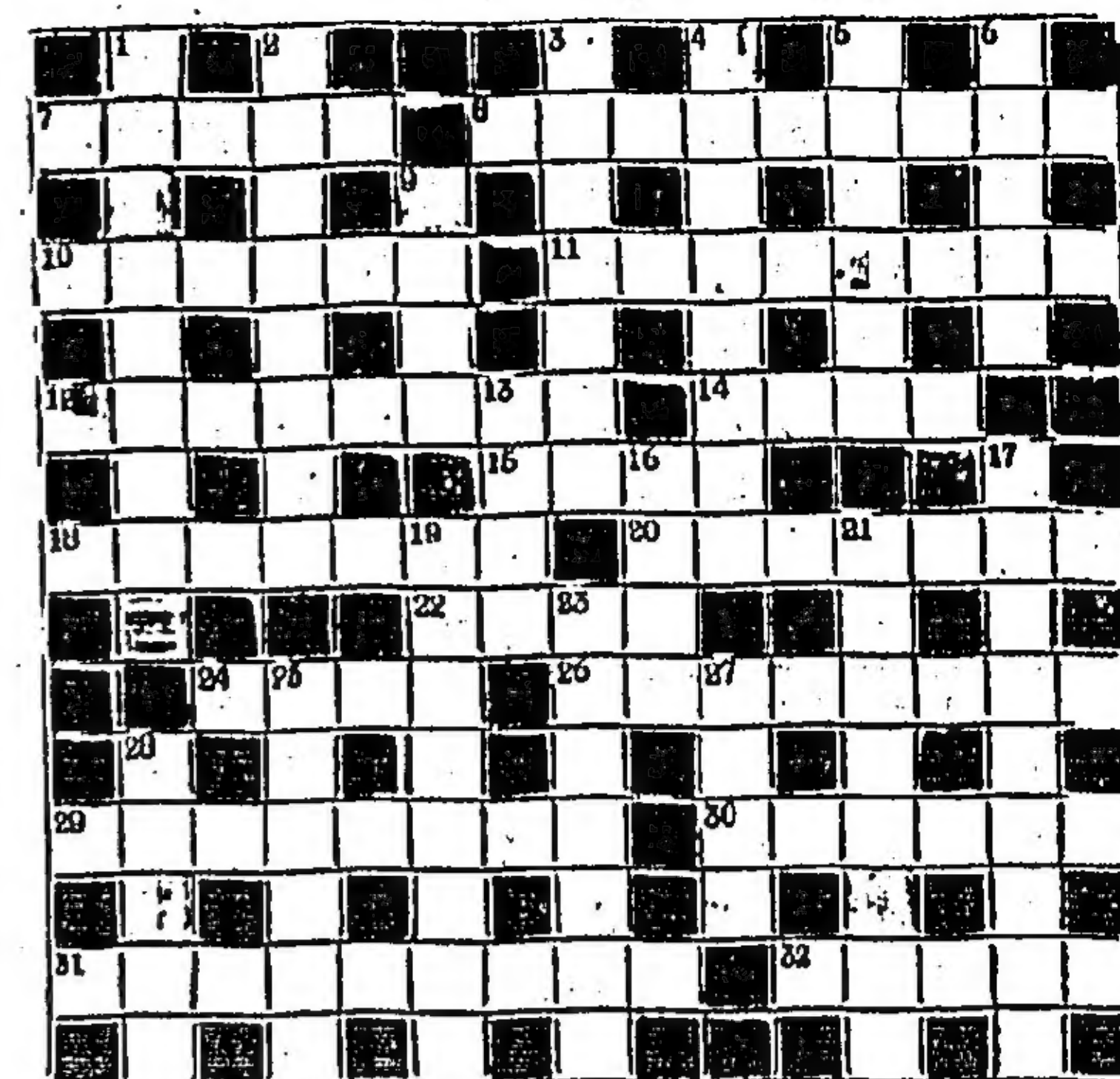
The doctor comes and prescribes a nauseating dose. Then Billy is sick.

And all the time there wasn't a thing wrong with him. A little excited, a little tired, that was all. An afternoon's sleep with the word "sickness" left out would have fixed him up in fine shape.

Glove Patterns New

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OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



ACROSS

- 7 One of the Great Lakes.
- 8 Scorn flea (anagram).
- 10 Its own spirit won't drive it—try petrol.
- 11 Poorly equipped in a hyphenated sort of way.
- 12 As you like it.
- 14 Kent kiln.
- 15 A fish that might help to cover the floor.
- 18 The alms are very involved.
- 20 This Derbyshire town though small certainly looks as though it was setting a move on.
- 22 Leander's love.
- 24 Musical instrument.
- 26 Followed Sir Anthony in the old play, you will recollect.
- 29 The "most I can" say for the life is that it is not a hectic one (anagram).
- 30 If the moon fails to produce him a complaint is justified.
- 31 An out-of-date carillon.
- 32 Looks closely at a procession in "Tolnthe."

DOWN

- 1 Canine kitchenmaids of other days.
- 2 If you're sure you're right.
- 3 A rope and where it comes from.
- 4 You must put in a call for these—they are so succulent.
- 5 They may represent a treasure obtained in the interior.
- 6 Change its head if you're thirsty: it's O.K. as a border.

thirsty: it's O.K. as a border.

- 9 The peasant makes nothing with his pen—hasn't sufficient education.
- 13 Came muddled from the top.
- 16 An old order of cattle.
- 17 I dry tents (anagram).
- 18 Replaces the sword in the scabbard.
- 21 One who sees most of the game.
- 23 Scoundrels.
- 25 Treats hair in a certain way.
- 27 A mournful sound.
- 28 To do with the sun but not so large.

Yesterday's Solution.

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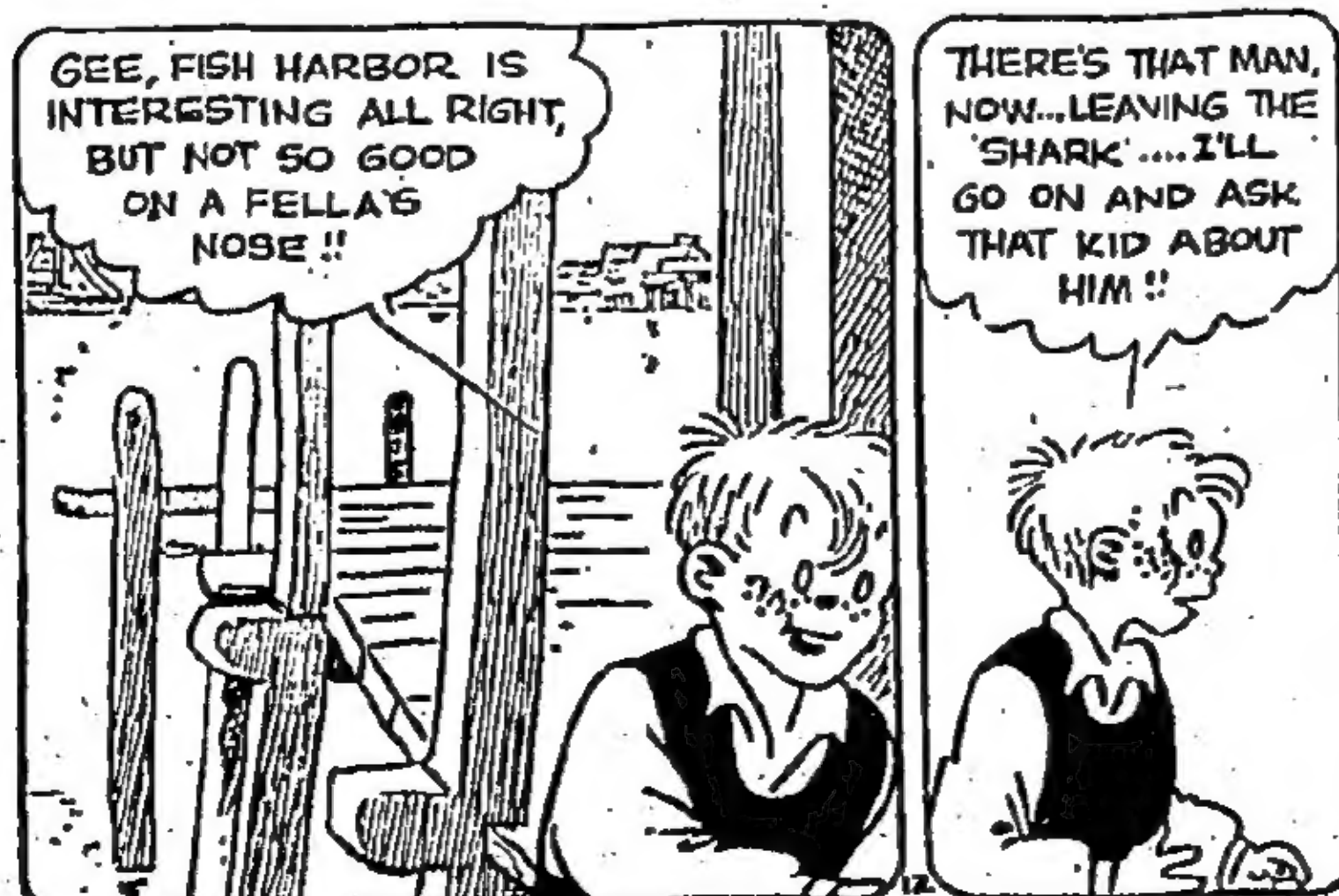
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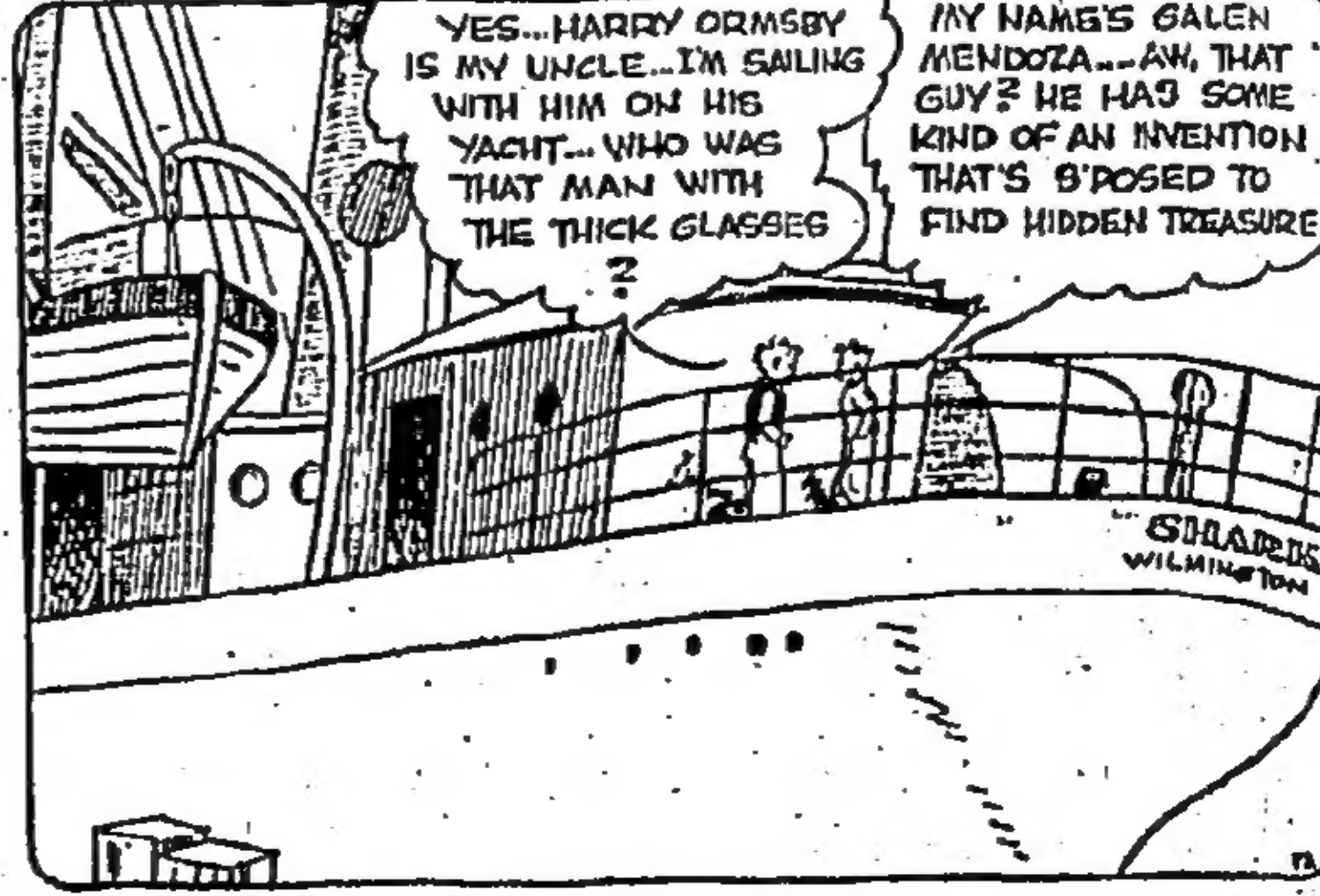
SALESMAN SAM



GEE, FISH HARBOR IS INTERESTING ALL RIGHT, BUT NOT SO GOOD ON A FELLA'S NOSE!!

THERE'S THAT MAN, NOW...LEAVING THE "SHARK"...I'LL GO ON AND ASK THAT KID ABOUT HIM!!

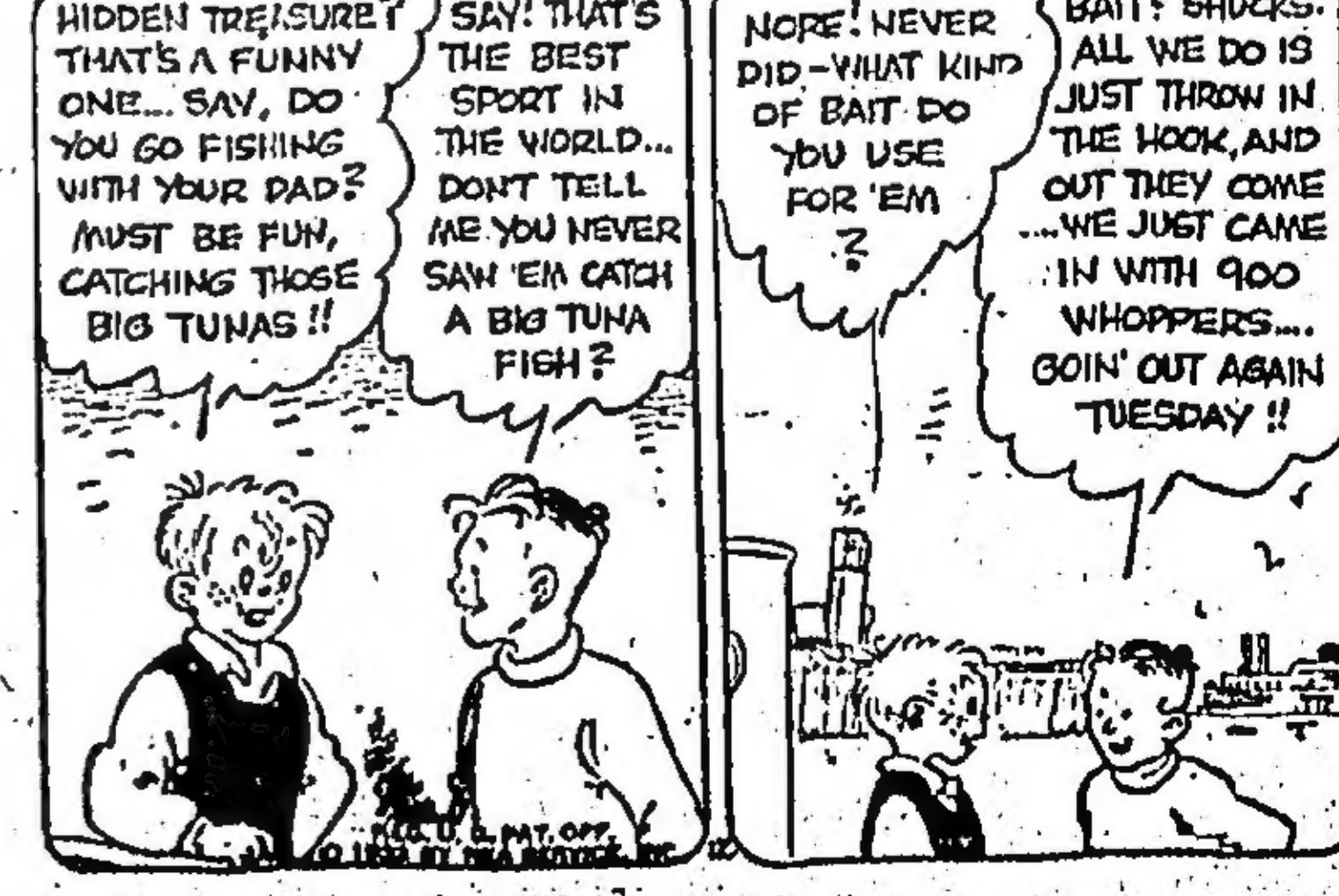
Galen Mendoza!



YES...HARRY ORMSBY IS MY UNCLE...I'M SAILING WITH HIM ON HIS "YACHT"...WHO WAS THAT MAN WITH THE THICK GLASSES?

MY NAME'S GALEN MENDOZA...AM THAT GUY? HE HAS SOME KIND OF AN INVENTION THAT'S S'POSED TO FIND HIDDEN TREASURE

By Small



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LOVE or MONEY?

BY H. W. CORLEY

CHAPTER XL

Barry said the words over and over. "My dear, my dear! You are here!"

She looked up at him. Tall, bronzed, glowing with health and vitality. His eyes strangely blue in his brown face. His skin darker than his hair.

Steve strode forward. He, too, was brown and vigorous. In this oppressive heat! Mona wondered how they endured it. Steve was grinning broadly. "You?" he cried.

"Yes, we're here—both of us in person!" Lottie added in an effort to break the tension. "Not a motion picture?" teased Steve. "Well, you look handsome enough for one. Take my word for it!" He tossed a napkin on the table and seized Lottie by the shoulders.

"Are you surprised?" asked Mona, laughing.

"Surprised? We're overwhelmed! And delighted, too. How did you get here? Bud brought you, of course, but where in blazes did you find him?"

Barry placed a chair for Mona. "Sit down," he urged. "You must be tired. That air trip always nearly finishes us."

"It was only an hour," she sat down and tossed her hat into an empty seat, fluffing her hair with expert fingers.

"We must look like wrecks," Mona added ruefully.

"And we're starved!" announced Lottie frankly. "Do you suppose, Mister, you could spare a poor girl a sandwich?"

Barry called and immediately the little maid appeared in the doorway.

"Set two more places," Barry instructed them.

The arrival of the young ladies had provided much speculation in the kitchen. Maria, the old cook, had waddled to the door about which she peered with misplaced confidence in its power to conceal. Josie, another maid, the counterpart of Florence, in a red skirt and white blouse, was watching, frankly absorbed. Under a convenient tree several barefoot native boys had gathered in silent admiration of the new arrivals.

"The ladies will have coffee with American sugar, Florence. Paw-paw—do you like paw-paw, Mona? Steak and breadfruit. I'm glad you came to-day because we only have steak once in a blue moon. Ask Maria to toss together a salad too."

"Heavens, I thought this was breakfast!" exclaimed Lottie. "You certainly don't care what happens to your figures here!"

"This is the best coffee I've had in the south," Mona announced.

"Like it?" I taught Maria how to make it," Barry said proudly. "The best coffee in the world is right here in the West Indies, but no one seems to know how to make it."

"Your mother made pretty good coffee, I remember," Steve said, turning to Mona. "What is that old proverb? Black as night, sweet as love, hot as—you know the place!"

"Every man for his own count," Barry said.

try," Lottie remarked demurely and there was a burst of laughter. Sweet as love! Why had she come, Mona wondered miserably. Outwardly she was calm enough, accepting the dainty service of the little maid, responding to Barry's casual remarks, smiling at Steve and regarding Lottie with quizzical affection.

Lottie, too, she could see was not at ease. Why had they come?

Of course there was the plan to attempt to give Barry part of the Townsend fortune. That, aboard the Miranda, had seemed an adequate reason. In the presence of these two self-sufficient young men it seemed almost out of the question.

What explanation should she offer? How could she speak of money to Barry?

"We were tired of New York and thought we'd take a trip down here," Mona found herself saying in one of the pauses, adding, unnecessarily, "the West Indies, I mean."

"Where did you run into Bud?" Barry asked without looking at her. He lighted a pipe, cupping his hand over its bowl, then turned away as he flung the dead match out on the roadway.

Instantly two native boys made a dive for it. Steve laughed. "They think it's a cigarette end," he told the girls. We give them a weekly supply of cigarettes, yet they always hang around for anything they can pick up."

"Are they as poor as that?" asked Mona. Then she blushed because the remark seemed a reflection on Barry's wage system.

"Our natives aren't," Barry said dryly.

"What can he think of me?" Mona thought miserably. "And why, oh why, did we come here? We might at least have cabled!"

The meal was finished and they arose. Barry, summoning Florence, asked her to bring Josie.

"We'll give each of you a maid," Barry added, turning to Mona. "Here they are—Florence and Josie." The little maids courtesied. "Take your choice."

To the native women he added quickly, "The Madames will occupy the two apartments overlooking the harbour."

Steve mentioned baggage. "I think Bud put it somewhere," Mona said.

Barry nodded. "Then it's in the car. The boys will bring it up later."

"Where do we go from here?" asked Lottie, taking her hat and purse from the chair.

"Well, mostly we sleep until three or so. Then we'll have tea. After that it's cooler and we can walk, or drive around the place. It gets dark fairly early, you know, and we don't have dinner until it's too dark to do anything except eat and sleep."

"But I thought you came here for a vacation!" Lottie exclaimed.

"This is a vacation. There are lots of things to do here. Golf, for instance, and we're planning a landing field."

"We fish and ride horseback too," Barry put in. "Well—see you at tea!"

The girls felt definitely dismissed.

TIENTSIN PLANES.

CIRCLE ABOVE CITY BUT DROP NO BOBS

Peking, May 26.

Tientsin messages state that this morning three Japanese military aeroplanes visited Tientsin and remained flying over the city proper and the suburbs at a low altitude for about 10 minutes. The three planes were reinforced by another visitor about 9 o'clock.

The Japanese planes made no attempt to drop bombs or pamphlets as they did before. The visit was apparently made to observe the Chinese troop dispositions at Tientsin.

Messages describe the plight of the 20,000 Chinese war refugees who have congregated in the open near the barracks in the French Concession. Chinese charitable institutions are finding accommodation for them by erecting temporary makeshifts for them.—*Ren-sha.*

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It had been so different from the way Mona had hoped to meet Barry again. Here in the brazen glare of sun at midday with her hair rumpled, her nose needing powder, her frock wrinkled from the journey from Port of Spain.

She had dreamed of such a different meeting. At evening, perhaps, in the moonlight. She should have worn a silver gown and there should have been music in the offing. She had dreamed of an adoring Barry whose heart brimmed with the same breathless love which she herself felt! She had dreamed of that moment in his arms when all the misunderstandings and cruelties of the past months would be swept away!

Here she was and here was Barry. As formally polite in his manner toward her as he would have been to any casual guest. There had not been even a fleeting glimpse of his earlier warmth of feeling.

Barry's voice, directing the maid who followed with an armful of soft towels, rose to them as Florence, bowing, opened a door.

Barry said, "Take Mrs. Townsend some hot water, Josie."

Mrs. Townsend! "Well, why not? That was her name."

"Madame will kindly enter!" the maid said softly. Mona brought herself abruptly out of her reverie.

Lottie said, "What a lovely room! Well, do you think the boys were glad to see us?"

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 By Order of the Stewards,
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 Hongkong, 15th May, 1933.

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CHURCH NOTICES

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.

International Pageant and Fair in November.

A MUSICAL SERVICE.

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon:
 Services for Sunday, May 28, Sunday After Ascension.
 8.15 a.m. Holy Communion.
 10 a.m. Young People's Service & Primary Sunday School.
 11 a.m. Morning Prayer & Sermon. Preacher: The Vicar.
 6 p.m. Musical Service and address.

Friday, June 2.

Working Party will meet in the Church Hall at 10.30 a.m. This working-party has been arranged in connection with the International Pageant and Fair to be held the first week in November, and will meet the first Friday in every month. All who are interested will be very welcome.
 Friday, June 2 at 9 p.m. Communicants' Preparation Service.

METHODIST CHURCH (Wanchai).

Rev. John Foster of Canton To Preach.

LATER EVENING SERVICE.

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at Methodist Church (Opposite Royal Naval Hospital Queen's Road East):
 Sunday May 28.
 Morning Service 10.15 a.m. Preacher: Rev. John Foster, B.A. of Canton.
 Evening Service 6 p.m. Preacher: Rev. John Foster, B.A. of Canton.

AT THE SAILORS' AND SOLDIERS' HOME.

Sunday, May 28.
 Christian Social Hour 8.30 p.m. As this is probably the last of these meetings for this Session it is hoped that there will be a good attendance.
 Monday May 29.
 Badminton Club meets at 7 p.m.
 Tuesday May 30.
 Fellowship Meeting at 8 p.m.
 Wednesday, May 31.
 General Committee Meeting of the Home 5.30 p.m.
 Thursday, June 1.
 Badminton Club meets at 7 p.m.
 Special Announcement.
 Commencing on Sunday next, June 4, and until further notice, the Evening Service at the Methodist Church, will commence at 8.15 p.m., instead of 6 o'clock as at present.

UNION CHURCH (Kennedy Road).

Services & Announcements for the Week.

CHOIR PRACTICE.

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at Union Church Kennedy Road.
 Sunday, May 28.
 Sunday School, 9.30 a.m.
 Morning Service, 10.30 a.m.
 Preacher: The Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck.
 Evening Service 6 p.m. Preacher: The Minister.
 Church Choir Practice every Tuesday at 5.30 p.m.
 Service Men's Bathing Party, Tuesday, May 30. Launch leaves Queen's Pier 5 p.m. returns 7 p.m.
 Every Tuesday, Devotional Meeting of the Soldiers, and Airmen's Christian Association. Service men heartily welcomed.

KOWLOON UNION CHURCH.

Women's Guild Business Meeting on Wednesday.

LAUNCH PICNIC TO-DAY.

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at Kowloon Union Church (Minister: Rev. E. L. Allen, M.A. (P.D.)).
 Saturday, May 27.
 Young People's Society. Launch Picnic from Police Pier, Kowloon, at 2.30 p.m. sharp.
 Sunday, May 28.
 Sunday School, 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
 Anthem "O Saviour of the World."
 Evening Worship, 6 p.m.
 Preacher: Dr. Allen.
 Wednesday, May 31.
 Women's Guild will meet at 10 a.m., for a business meeting, when the final arrangements for the Birthday Tea to be held on Wednesday, June 7, will be made. A good attendance is especially requested.
 Choir Practice, 8.45 p.m.

G. R.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 29th day of May, 1933, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Wong Nei Chong in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in feet	Area in Acres	Upset Price
1	3551	Adjoining inland Lot No. 3510, Yuen Yuen Street	N. S. E. W.	1200	1.290	\$3,870
				As per sale plan.		

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No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in feet	Area in Acres	Upset Price
2	3552	Rural Building Lot No. 372, Near Rural Building Lot No. 143, Wanchai Gap	N. S. E. W.	1200	1.290	\$1,800
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PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in feet	Area in Acres	Upset Price
3	2118	New Kowloon Island Lot No. 2118, Lai Chi Kok	N. S. E. W.	1200	1.290	\$414
				As per sale plan.		

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Macdonnell Road, below Bowen Road Tram Station. Sunday Service 11.15 a.m.
 Subject: "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced."
 The Sunday School is held on Sunday Morning at 10 o'clock, Wednesday Evening Meeting at 8 p.m. Reading Room at above address open Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon, Monday and Thursday, 5.30 to 7 p.m. The Public is cordially invited to attend the service and visit the Reading Room. Branch of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., U.S.A.

DEATH OF HORATIO BOTTOMLEY

Chequered Career Ends at Ripe Old Age

London, May 26.
 The death occurred to-day of Horatio Bottomley, who for several years was continually in the public eye in England.

Demagogue, journalist and financier, he was born in 1860, a nephew of George Jacob Holyoake, founder of the co-operative movement. Beginning his business career in London, Bottomley was for many years connected with large financial undertakings there. At the same time he was associated with the political work of Charles Bradlaugh, secularist writer and M.P., who became very popular with the working classes. Bottomley then founded a financial newspaper. The freedom of his criticism involved him at times as defendant in legal proceedings. On such occasions he did not engage counsel, but defended himself and showed a knowledge of law and legal procedure that drew compliments from eminent lawyers and generally won his case.

Extending his journalistic interests, he became proprietor of a London evening paper and afterwards established the weekly periodical with which his name was most closely associated—*John Bull*.

Meanwhile he had entered Parliament as Liberal M.P. for South Hackney. With a brain fertile in ideas and a vigorous pen he took up in his new publication the popular causes of the day and, hitting freely right and left, quickly established for himself the reputation of being the people's friend. The sales of the paper rose rapidly to a high figure and to his readers Bottomley became a hero. No matter what were the facts of a political or economic question as set forth soberly in the daily papers, what Bottomley wrote at the end of the week settled the matter for thousands of humble folk.

When the world-war broke out Bottomley, who began by crying: "To hell with Serbia," went later on a lecture tour of England, urging in eloquent addresses a vigorous prosecution of the campaign and kept up the spirits of the credulous with hints of wonderful coups that the Allies were going to bring off. He also started in his publication a scheme of investment which attracted the small savings of a large number of his readers. Questions arose as to how some of the money had been dealt with and in 1922 he was prosecuted and sentenced to imprisonment. On his release in 1927 he brought an action against a former employee who had written a book professing to relate incidents in Bottomley's career, damages of £1,500 were awarded for libel. Bottomley promptly started a new weekly, his old paper *John Bull* having passed into other hands.

THE CONVERSATIONS AT WASHINGTON.

JAPAN AND AMERICA EXCHANGE VIEWS

Washington, May 26.
 According to the *New York Times*, during the Japan-American economic discussions no important differences on the problems confronting the World Economic Conference developed.

The Japanese delegates were always careful to qualify their approval in order to avoid running counter to the Chinese situation.

Friendly Spirit.
 Tokyo, May 26.
 Count Uchida has reported to the Cabinet that the conversations between President Roosevelt and Viscount Ishii at Washington are being conducted in a most friendly spirit and atmosphere.—*Reuter*.



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INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
Shanghai and Swatow	Sinkiang	May 27.
Shanghai and Amoy	Taiyuan	May 28.
Japan, Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London 8th May)	Genoa Maru	May 28.
Japan	Malacca Maru	May 28.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 8th May)	Pres. Wilson	May 28.
Amoy	Taiwan	May 29.
Calcutta and Straits	Santhia	May 30.
Calcutta and Straits	Tanda	May 30.
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 4th May and	Mantua	May 31.
Manila	Emp. of Russia	May 31.
Japan and Shanghai	Naldora	June 2.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 11th May)	Chichibu Maru	June 2.
Australia and Manila	Nankin	June 2.
Straits	Conte Rosso	June 2.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
	Saturday.	
Hai Phong	Canton	Sat., May 27, 2 p.m.
Letters for "Saigon-Marseilles Air Mail Service"	Apoccy	Sat., May 27.
	K. P. O.	
Reg., May 27, 1 p.m.	Reg., G. P. O.	May 27, 2 p.m.
Letters, May 27, 2 p.m.	Letters	May 27, 2.30 p.m.
Saigon	Apoccy	Sat., May 27, 3.30 p.m.
Fort Bayard	Tai Poo Sek	Sat., May 27, 3.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	Sat., May 27, 4.30 p.m.
Manila	General Pershing	Sat., May 27, 5 p.m.
Bangkok	Halldor	Sat., May 27, 5 p.m.
	Sunday.	
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Hoan Maru	Sun., May 28, 9 a.m.
	Monday.	
Swatow	Hydrangea	Mon., May 29, 3 p.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Hiram	Mon., May 29, 1.30 p.m.
	Tuesday.	
*Manila, Makassar, and Sourabaya Tjengara		Tues., May 30, 9.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning	Tues., May 30, 2 p.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kaying	Tues., May 30, 2.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Wilson	Tues., May 30, 4.30 p.m.
	Wednesday.	
Sandakan	Hinsang	Wed., May 31, 2.30 p.m.
Amoy	Taiyuan	Wed., May 31, 4.30 p.m.
	Thursday.	
Amoy	Liangchow Thurn	Thurs., June 1, 3.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, *U.S.A., *Central and *South America and *Europe via Vancouver B.C. and *Europe via Siberia (Due Vancouver B.C., 10th June)	Parcels, Reg., Letters	June 1, 3 p.m. June 1, 4.15 p.m. June 1, 5 p.m.
Amoy	Suiyang	Thurs., June 1, 5 p.m.
	Friday.	
Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane (Due Brisbane, 10th June)	Parcels, Reg., Letters	Fri., June 2, 9 p.m. June 2, 9.45 a.m. June 2, 9.30 a.m.
Hoihow and Pakhoi	Kingyuan	Fri., June 2, 10 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Fri., June 2, 2 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A. *Central and South America and *Europe via Victoria B.C. and *Europe via Siberia (Due Victoria B.C., 10th June)	Parcels, Reg., Letters	Fri., June 2, 3 p.m. June 2, 4.15 p.m. June 2, 5 p.m.
	Saturday.	
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Naldora East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	(Due Marseilles, 30th June.)	
	K. P. O.	
Parcels, Reg., Letters		June 2, 5 p.m. June 2, 9 a.m. June 3, 10 a.m.
Japan, Canada, U.S.A., *Central and *South America and *Europe via Victoria B.C. and *Europe via Siberia (Due Victoria B.C., 26th June.)	Parcels, Reg., Letters	June 3, 9.15 a.m. June 3, 10 a.m. June 3, 9.30 a.m.
Shanghai	Conte Rosso	Sat., June 3, 9.30 a.m.
	*Superscribed Correspondence only.	

C.E. RAILWAY MANCHUKUO AGREES TO PURCHASE.

Chungchun, May 26.
 It is announced that the Manchukuo Government has decided to purchase the Chinese Eastern Railway from Russia through the good offices of Japan.—*Reuter*.

Instructions Given.
 Tokyo, May 26.
 The Japanese ambassador to Moscow has been instructed to orally inform M. Litvinoff, Foreign Commissar, of Manchukuo's readiness to purchase the C.E.R., and to appoint a delegate to discuss with the Japanese and Manchukuo representatives the price and manner of payments.

Formal negotiations are expected to start in June or July.—*Reuter*.

Manchukuo Willing.

Tokyo, May 26.
 The Japanese ambassador to Moscow has been instructed to convey Manchukuo's willingness to purchase the C. E. R. through Japan's good offices, and also to invite M. Litvinoff to appoint a delegate to discuss the price and method of payments.—*Reuter*.

Harbin Doubts.
 Harbin, May 26.
 It is expected here that the dispute between the Soviet and Man-

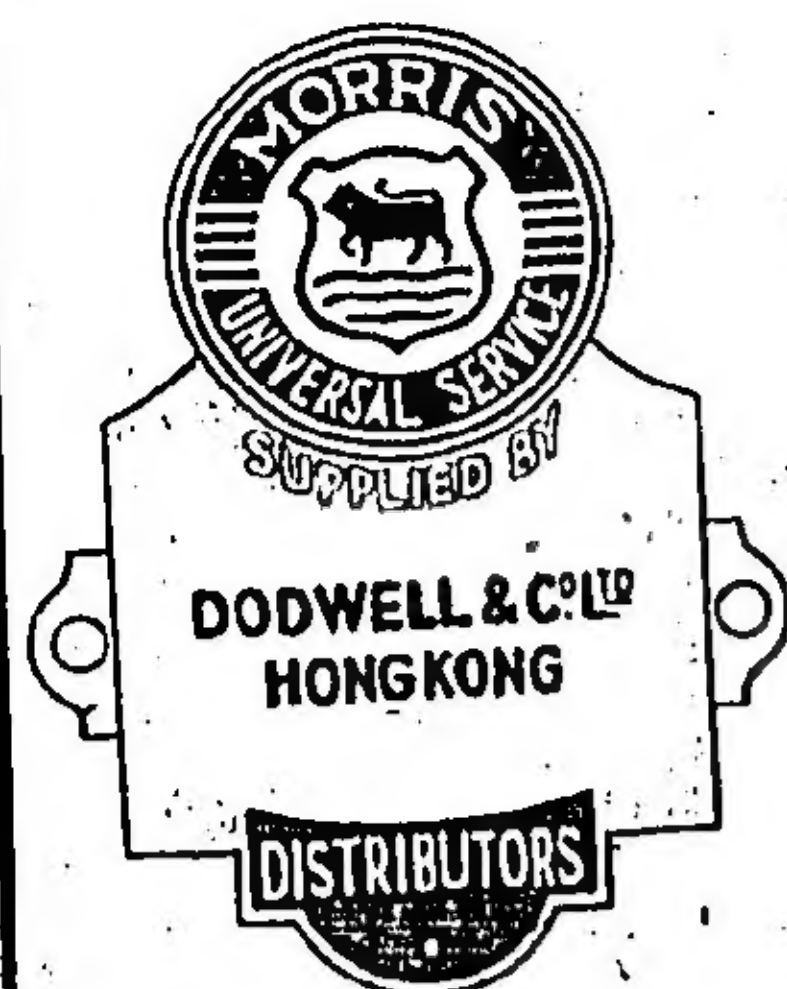
EVEREST CLIMB DASH FOR THE SUMMIT BEATEN BY WINDS

London, May 26.

According to information available from correspondents in the east Himalayan districts, Messrs. F. S. Smythe and E. Shipton, of the Rutledge expedition, made a determined attempt to reach the summit of Mount Everest about the middle of this month, which is said to have failed, owing to the high winds over the last few hundred feet of the summit. The reports cannot be officially confirmed, but the storm is now believed to have subsided and supporting parties are moving up from the base camp.—*Reuter Special*.

chukuo over the Chinese Eastern Railway will resume in a few days, when the Manchukuo will present new demands, including limitation of the powers of the Soviet Manager M. Rudy.—*Reuter*.

Manchukuo Protest.
 Harbin, May 26.
 A representative of the Manchukuo Foreign Ministry has protested to the Soviet Consul-General in connexion with the detention by the Soviet of several Manchukuo junks loaded with provisions, at the confluence of the Sungari and Amur rivers.—*Reuter*.



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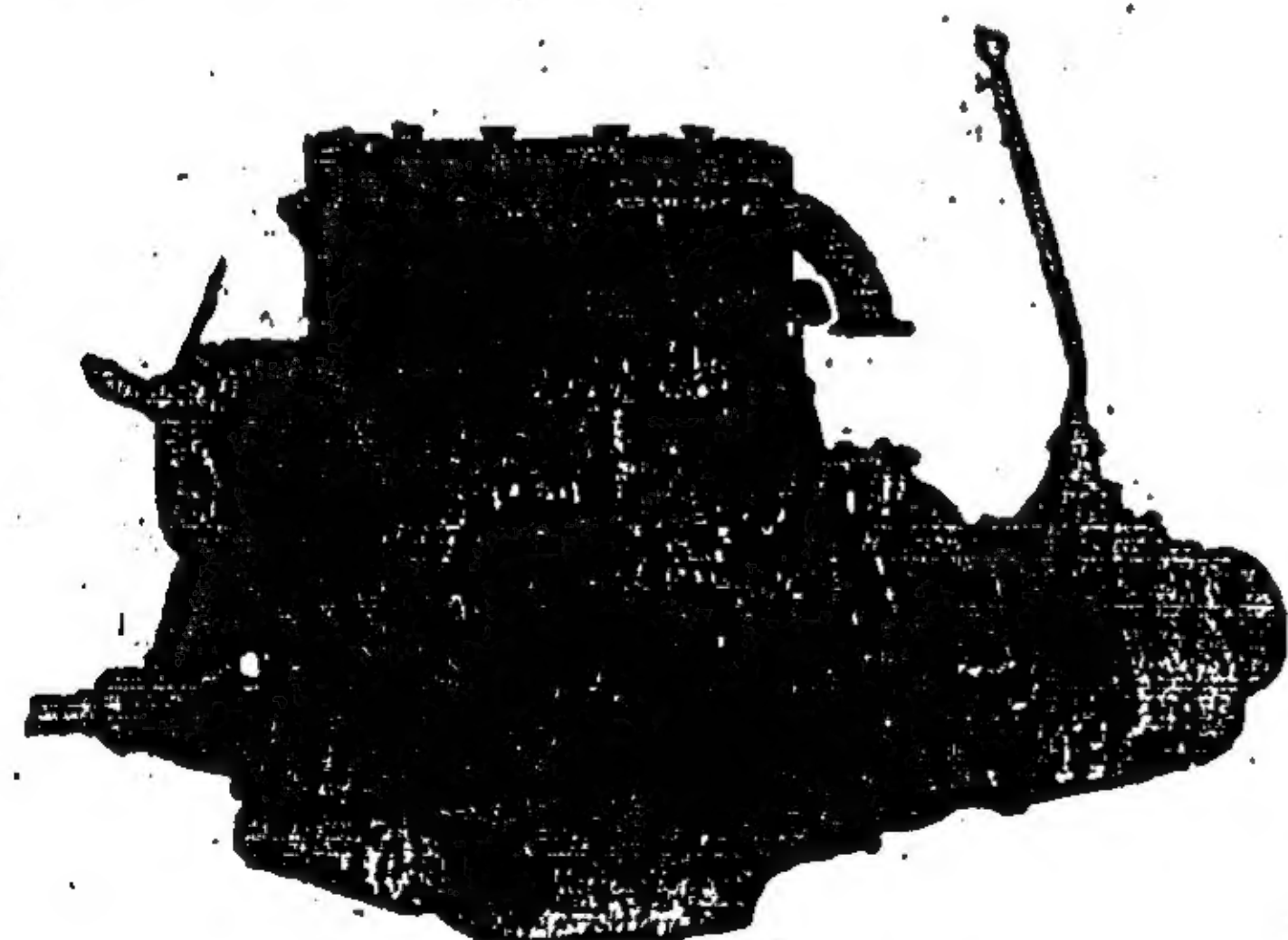
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One of the features of the scheme is that a clump of birch trees has been planted opposite each side-turning, and motorists approaching from side-roads at night will find the glare of their headlights reflected from the trunks.

Groups of trees are also being planted on the open spaces which occur at intervals along the road, with the object of providing shade for picnicers and campers. In each case the original hedgerow has been allowed to remain and this will form a background for specially selected trees, the varying coloured foliage of which will provide a visual effect of light and shade.

Wheatley elms and wych-elm with the Turkey oak have been placed next the hedge, and in front of them sweet-smelling poplars and silver poplars. The group is completed by a single hornbeam standing by the road-side some distances in front of others.

The type of tree planted has been governed by the nature of the soil and it has been found possible to include such species as Ailanthus (the "Tree of Heaven") and the Scotch fir.

HORSE WINS WITH BROKEN LEG

THE LIONHEART

A horse with a broken leg won the Pitchcroft Selling Hurdle at Worcester last month.

It was a horse named Boomlet, but he is now referred to as "Boomlet the Lionheart."

The story of his last race is one which will be treasured in the history of the Turf.

Only for a second did he hesitate when his hind leg snapped; then, with head bravely up, he finished the race on three legs.

Just past the winning post he collapsed, and while Mr. Ivor Anthony (the trainer) and his owner (Mr. Large) stood beside him, the old horse was painlessly destroyed.

"I have known Boomlet for ten years, and I have never met a pluckier horse," the head boy at the stables said last night.

"He was 13, and I'll guarantee he enjoyed that last race as much as when he was a three-year-old. He was bought for £50. He was a brave-hearted old fellow, and if ever a horse enjoyed his life and had a happy end it was Boomlet."



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President Masaryk of Czechoslovakia photographed during the festivities at Prague held by the Geneva Red Cross Society.

GIPSIES' QUEEN DEAD

SELF-PREDICTION THAT CAME TRUE

The encampment of the gipsy "Queen" of Kent, where Gipsy Lee, the wisest, most revered, and best-loved fortune-teller of English Romany people for years received the homage of her people, was in mourning last month.

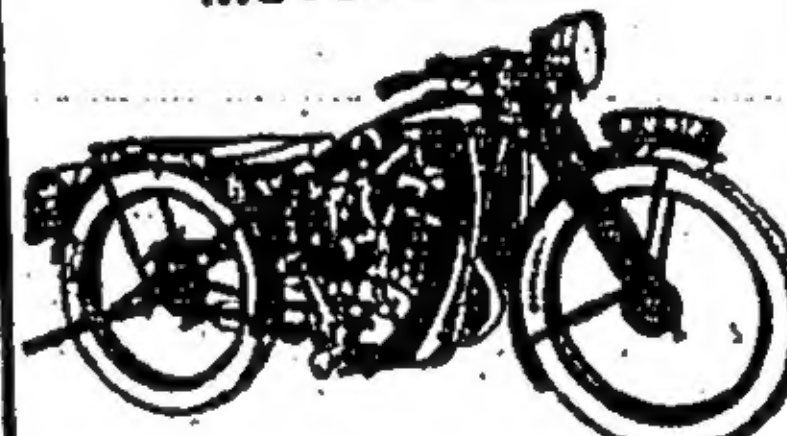
The "Queen" died as she had foretold she would. A funeral is being planned, surpassing even that of her husband, the gipsy "King," Levi Boswell, whose bier was drawn to Farnborough Church cemetery in 1924 by six black horses, preceded by an outrider in purple and black, and followed by hundreds of gipsies from every part of England.

"Only last week," Mrs. Renolds, who had known Gipsy Lee for 26 years and tended her, in the last illness, said "she was moving about over the Common. Then she fell ill, and on Friday she told us that she had two or three days to live. On Sunday she said she had only a few hours, and early this morning we knew it was true."

"She could neither read nor write, yet she often stated that she had told King George's fortune for him, just as her mother, Gipsy Lee of Brighton, had read King Edward's, and prophesied his death, just as it happened."

Every year Gipsy Lee, who was over eighty years old, went to Margate for the summer. In the winters she stayed in her little camp at Lockshotton, Bromley Common.

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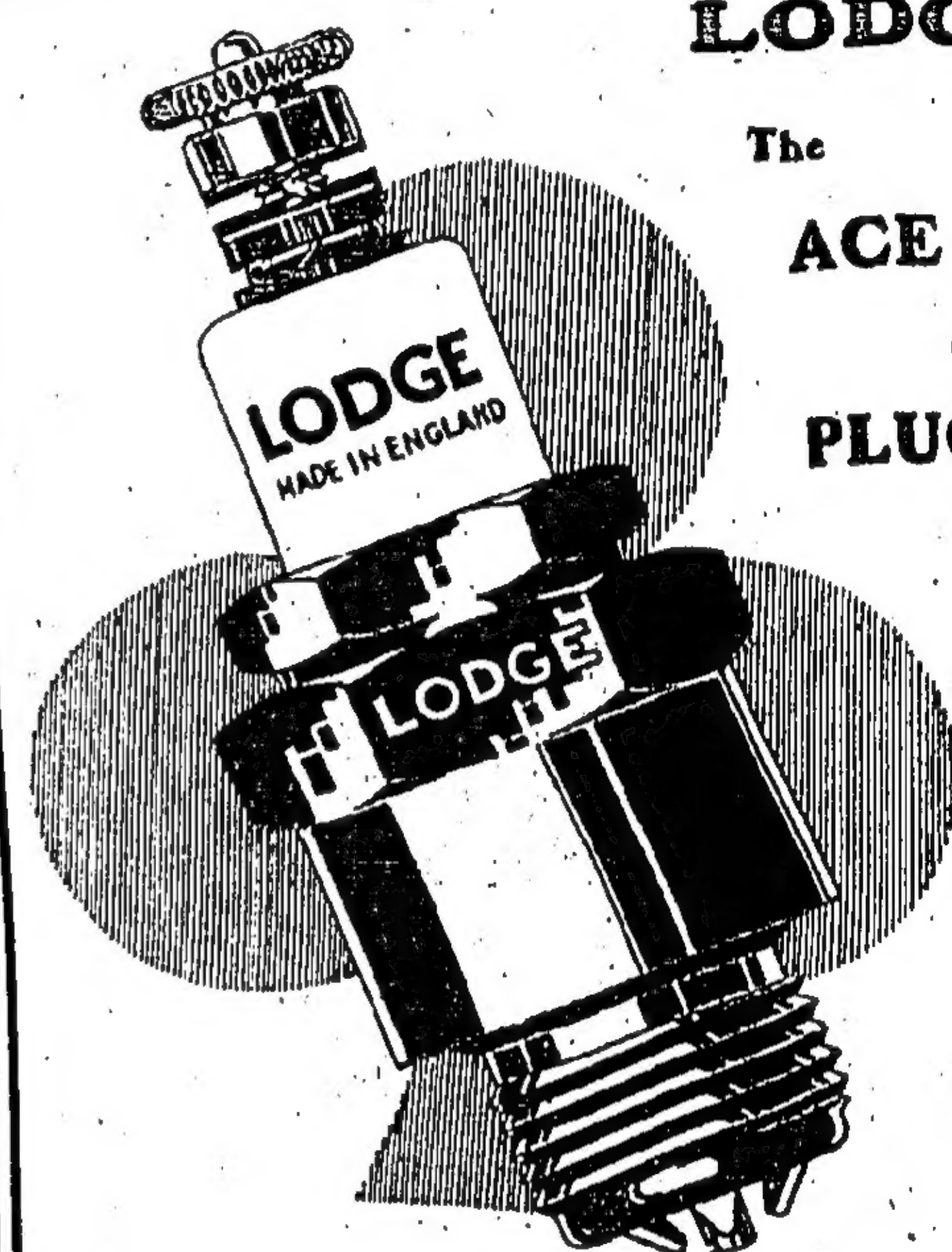
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NEW YORK STOCK
EXCHANGEYESTERDAY'S MARKET
STRONG

According to Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was strong yesterday. Business done: 4,010,000 shares. The Wall Street Journal reports: The introduction by the Administration of the bill seeking repeal of the Gold Standard Act caused stocks to bound upward to new 1933 highs, precipitating a flood of buying orders which delayed tickers twenty minutes. Traders, considering that this action would definitely place the United States off the gold standard, anticipated broader use of the President's inflationary powers. The reduction of reditcount rate to 2½% and General Electric's declaration of regular dividends were other factors which helped to strengthen the market.

Telegram received from our New York Office dated May 26, 1933. "Cotton market strength partly attributable (to) belief possible curtailment this year's crop which remains doubtful crop news improving good spot enquiry consensus brokerage opinion bullish two side(s) market probable."

May 30th being Memorial Day, a legal holiday in the United States, there will be no quotations on Wednesday, May 31st. Our office, however, will be open as usual.

May 25 May 26
Dow-Jones averages:
30 Industrials 83.73 88.42
20 Rails 40.23 40.99
20 Utilities 28.62 28.80
40 Bonds 52.62 53.07

May 25	May 26
Allied Chemical & Dye	103 104½
Alfa Chalmers	14 15½
American Can	84 88
American & Foreign Power	10½ 10½
American Metal	14½ 17½
American Smelting	31 31½
American Tel. & Tel.	110½ 113½
American Tobacco	84 86
American Water-works	27 26½
Anacosta Copper	13½ 13½
Atlas Corporation	12½ 13½
Auburn Automobiles	10½ 10½
Baltimore & Ohio	16½ 17½
Baltimore Steel	26½ 27½
Borden Company	38½ 34½
Borg Warner	19½ 14½
Canadian Pacific	12½ 13½
Case, J.I.	61½ 70½
Chase National Bank	25½ 26½
Chesapeake Corporation	20½ 30
Chrysler	22 22½
Columbia Gas & Electric	17½ 17½
Consolidated Gas of New York	53½ 54½
Corn Products	72½ 74
Douglas Aircraft	14½ 14½
Drug, Inc.	48½ 51½
Du Pont de Nemours	68 71½
Eastman Kodak	73½ 76½
Electric Bond & Share	23 23½
General Electric	20 21½
General Foods	33½ 33½
General Motors	24 25
General Railway Signal	33½ 34½
Gold Dust	21 21½
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	31½ 32½
International Cement	24 26
International Harvester	34 36½
International Nickel	13½ 14½
International Tel. & Tel.	12½ 12½
Johns Manville	31 35
Kennecott Copper	17½ 17½
Lehman Corporation	61 62½
Liggett & Myers	85½ 87½
Loew's Inc.	18 17½
Lorillard P.	19½ 20
Montgomery Ward	21½ 22½
National City Bank	30½ 31½
New York Central	29½ 30½
North American Co.	26½ 26½
Pacific Gas & Electric	26½ 24
Pennsylvania Railroad	25½ 25½
Phillips Petroleum	12½ 12½
Public Service of N.J.	48½ 40½
Reynolds Tobacco	40½ 41½
Sears Roebuck	27½ 28½
Shell Union	0 0½
Simmons Company	11½ 11½
Socony-Vacuum Corporation	0 0½
Southern Cal. Edison	21½ 21½
Standard Gas & Electric	11½ 12
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.	34½ 34½

LONDON STOCK
PRICESMARKET SOMEWHAT
REACTIONARY

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters. The market: Business smaller. The markets, on the whole are somewhat reactionary.

May 25	May 26
4½% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.)	89½ 89½
4½% Loan 1908	70½ 70½
6% Loan 1912	45 45½
6% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	80½ 80½
5% Bonds 1926-47	98½ 98½
5% Shal-Nanking Rly.	30-35 30-35
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	12-22 12-22
5% Tient-Pukow Rly. (Supl. Loan)	12-22 12-22
5% Shal-Hangchow-Ningpo Rly.	73-78 73-78
5% Honan Rly.	5-10 5-10
5% Hukwang Rly.	23-27 23-27
5% Lang Tsing U. Hai Rly.	8-13 8-13
Foreign Bonds & Banks	
German 7% Internat. Loan 1924	66½ 65½
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	72½ 73½
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1924	81½ 82
Industrials & Breweries	
Associated Elec. Industries	17½ 17½
Brit.-Amer. Tob.	106½ 103½
Chinese Eng. & Min.	27½ 27½
J. & P. Coats	54½ 54½
Courtaulds	33½ 33½
Distillers	58½ 57½
Dunlop Rubber	28½ 29½
Eveready	29½ 29½
General Elec.	43½ 43½
Guinness	88½ 87½
Impl. Chem. Industries	26½ 26½
Impl. Tobacco	98½ 97½
International Tea Stores	29½ 29½
Pinchin Johnson	30½ 30½
Turner & Newall	27½ 27½
Unilever	27½ 27½
Miscellaneous	
Anglo-Dutch	16½ 15½
Burma Corp.	13½ 12½
Canadian Pac.	16½ 16½
Gula Kalumpung	14½ 14½
Rubber	70½ 73½
Lace Proprietary	29½ 29½
Mines	19½ 19½
L. a. n. g. a. n. g. t. o.	19½ 19½
Rubber Trusts	19½ 19½
Shal. Elec. Constr.	55½ 55½
Van Ryn Deep	36½ 36½
Anglo-Persian Oil	35½ 35½
Burmah Oil	64½ 64½
Royal Dutch	18½ 18½
Shell Trans.	45½ 45½
Texas Corporation	18½ 18½
Texas Gulf Sulphur	27½ 27½
Union Carbide & Carbon	37½ 38½
Union Pacific	99 101½
United Aircraft & Trans.	27½ 29½
United Gas Improvement	19 19½
U.S. Steel	47½ 51½
Universal Leaf	37 38½
Westinghouse E. & M.	38½ 41½
Woolworth	38 39

SPORT ADVTs.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Eighth Extra Race Meeting, to be held on Monday, 5th June, 1933, (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, the Club House, Happy Valley, the Hong Kong Club, The Sports Club, and the Stables, Village Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Monday, 29th May, 1933.

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The excellence of the Armstrong Whitworth "XVI" was revealed to the public in a demonstration flight carried out by Captain A. V. Harvey, manager for South China and Chief Test Pilot of the Far Eastern Aviation Co., Ltd., who sat as pilot, yesterday afternoon. Thousands gathered outside the Peninsula Hotel and every vantage point was taken to watch Captain Harvey's aerobatics, which he brought to a conclusion with a most impressive dive, travelling at a very high speed.

Shortly after 5.30 p.m., a buzz in the air gave indication of the airman's departure from Kai Tak, from where he took off. Presently the A/V "XVI" came into full view proceeding in a westerly direction. Captain Harvey then turned and after doing a roll, completed three beautiful loops in rapid succession. Returning from the direction of North Point, the pilot then indulged in rolling off loops, and the crowd were enthralled when he flew upside down for quite a distance.

Righting the plane, Captain Harvey performed a number of upward spins and the machine behaved as gracefully as a bird. Just before ten minutes to six, he flew east, and on returning, made the dive at a high speed, after which he circled over the Water Police Station and the Kowloon Hotel and returned to Kai Tak.

The machine is powered with an Armstrong Siddeley "Panther" geared and fully supercharged aircraft engine. This engine develops 600 H. P. and has 14 cylinders. A double engine weight of 973 lbs. gives the weight per H. P. of less than 1.7 lbs. A similar engine is on display at the Far East Aviation Co's exhibit at the British Empire Fair.

The aircraft is fitted for oxygen to enable the pilot to carry out altitude flying.

The A. V. XVI is equal in performance to any radial engine single seater aircraft produced to-day. This aircraft is manufactured by Messrs. Sir W. G. Armstrong Whitworth Aircraft Ltd., at Whitley, Coventry, and the motor by Messrs. Armstrong Siddeley Motors Ltd., Coventry.

SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.	
H'kong Bank, \$172½ n.	
H'kong Bank, London, \$124½ n.	
Chartered Bank, \$13½ n.	
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. \$24½ n.	
Mercantile Bank C., \$9½ n.	
East Asia, \$98 b.	
Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.	
China O. Fin. Ord., Sh. \$5.40 n.	
China O. Fin. Pref., Sh. \$5.00 n.	
Insurances.	
Canton Ins., \$1440 b.	
Union Ins., \$522 n. X Div.	
China Underwriters, \$2.10 b.	
China Fire, \$595 n. X Div.	
H.K. Fire Ins., \$255 b.	
International Assoc., Sh. \$4.75 n.	
Shipping.	
Douglas, \$32½ n.	
H.K. Steamboats, \$22 s.	
Indo-Chinas, (Pref.), \$80 b.	
Indo-Chinas, (Def.), \$30 n.	
Shells (Bearer), 45/- n.	
Union Waterboats, \$15 n.	
Mining.	
Bonguets, \$34 n.	
Kallans, 27/6 n.	
Langkats (Single), Sh. \$11½ n.	
Shal Explorations, Sh. \$2¼ n.	
Shal Loans, Sh. \$4¼ n.	
Raubas, \$10 n.	
Venz: Goldfields, Sh. \$4.40 b.	
Benguet Exp., 31 cts. n.	
Docks, etc.	
H.K. Wharves, \$131 n.	
H.K. Docks, \$18½ n.	
S. China Motors A., \$10 n.	
S. China Motors B., \$8 n.	
Venz: Goldfields, \$4.40 b.	
Providents (old), \$3.90 b.	
Providents (new), \$1.36 b.	
Hongkows, Sh. \$334 n.	
New Engineering, Sh. \$8 n.	
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$150 n.	
Lands, Hotels, etc.	
H. and S. Hotels, \$7.05 b. and sa.	
H.K. Lands, \$77 sa.	
Shal Lands, Sh. \$33 n.	
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.	
Humphreys, \$13½ n.	
H.K. Realities, \$7.70 n.	
Asia Realities "A", Sh. \$140 n.	
Asia Realities "B", Sh. \$20 n.	
Chinese Estates, \$97 n.	
China Realities, Sh. \$14½ n.	
China Debentures Sh. \$137 n.	
Cotton Mills.	
Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$15 n.	
Shal Cottons, Sh. \$116 n.	
Zoong Singa, Sh. \$14 n.	
Wong On Textiles (S) \$85 n.	
Public Utilities.	
Tramways, \$21½ b.	
Peak Trams, (old), \$16½ b.	
Peak Trams, (new), \$8½ n.	
Star Ferries, \$92 n.	

EXCHANGE RATES

	May 25	May 26
Paris	17.52½	17.47½
Geneva	17.52½	17.47½
Berlin	14.13/32	14.13/32
Holsteingford	227	227
Oslo	19.70	19.70
Athens	500	500
Milan	64½	65
Buenos Aires	41½	41½
Shanghai	1/10	1/10
New York	3.91½	3.90½
Amsterdam	8.39½	8.37½
Vienna	31	31
Prague	113½	113½
Madrid	39½	39½
Bucharest	670	670
Hongkong	1/4½	1/4½
Stockholm	19.45	19.45
Copenhagen	22.45	22.45
Lisbon	110	110
Bombay	1/6.5/64	1/6.5/64
Yokohama	1/24	1/24
Montevideo	34	34
Montreal	4.47½	4.47½
Belgrade	250	250
Silver (spot)	18.11/10	18½
Silver (forward)	18.9/10	18.9/10
War Loan	98½	98½

—British Wireless.

Yamati Ferries (old), \$20½ n.
China Lights (old), \$12.45 b.
China Lights (new), \$11½ b.
H.K. Electric, \$7½ b.
Macao Electric, \$23 n.
Sandakan Lights, \$10½ n.
Telephones (old), \$28.65 sa.
China Buses, Sh. \$11½ n.
Singapore Tractions, 1/- n.
Singapore Pref., 13 n.

Industrials.
Malabar Sugars \$15 n.
Gold: Macg. (old), Sh. \$20 n.
Gold: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. \$16 n.
Canton Ice, \$5 n.
Cementa (Com.), \$7.50 b.
Cementa (old), \$6.40 b.
Cementa (new), \$1.40 b.
H.K. Ropes, \$9 n.

Stores, etc.
Dairy Farms, \$28½ b.
Watsons, \$9.40 n.
Der A Wings, \$1 n.
Lane Crawfords, \$4.60 b.
Mackintoshes, \$21 n.
Shiraces, \$15½ n.
Wm. Powells, \$2.10 n.
Wing On (H.K.), \$200 n.

Miscellaneous.
Amusements, \$12½ n.
H.K. Entertainments, \$12½ n.
S.C. Enterprises, \$3½ n.
United Theatres, Sh. \$4 n.
Macao "Greyhounds", \$10 n.
Constructions (old), \$4¼ b.
Constructions (new), \$1 b. and sa.
B. Ind. G. Bonds, 70% n.
H.K. Govt. Loans, 29½% Prem.
Wallace Harpers, \$9 n.

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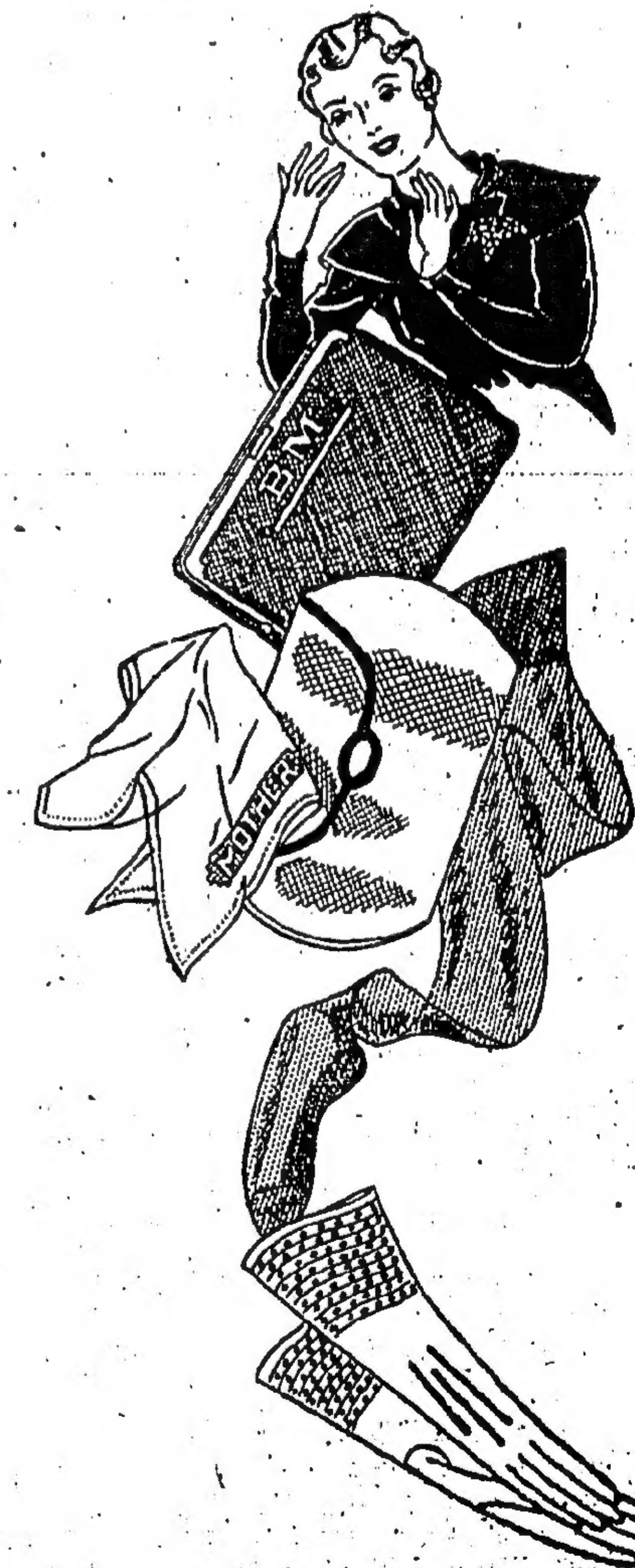
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- (2) To Exhibitors in the Pavilion:
This Section of the Fair will be closed as from 10 p.m. on Saturday, 27.5.33, and all stands and material must be completely removed before 10 p.m. on Sunday 28th.
- (3) 2—above also applies to the Aviation display on the Salisbury Road Lawn.
- (4) All army tables or other borrowed material must be stacked in the yard of the Peninsula Hotel.
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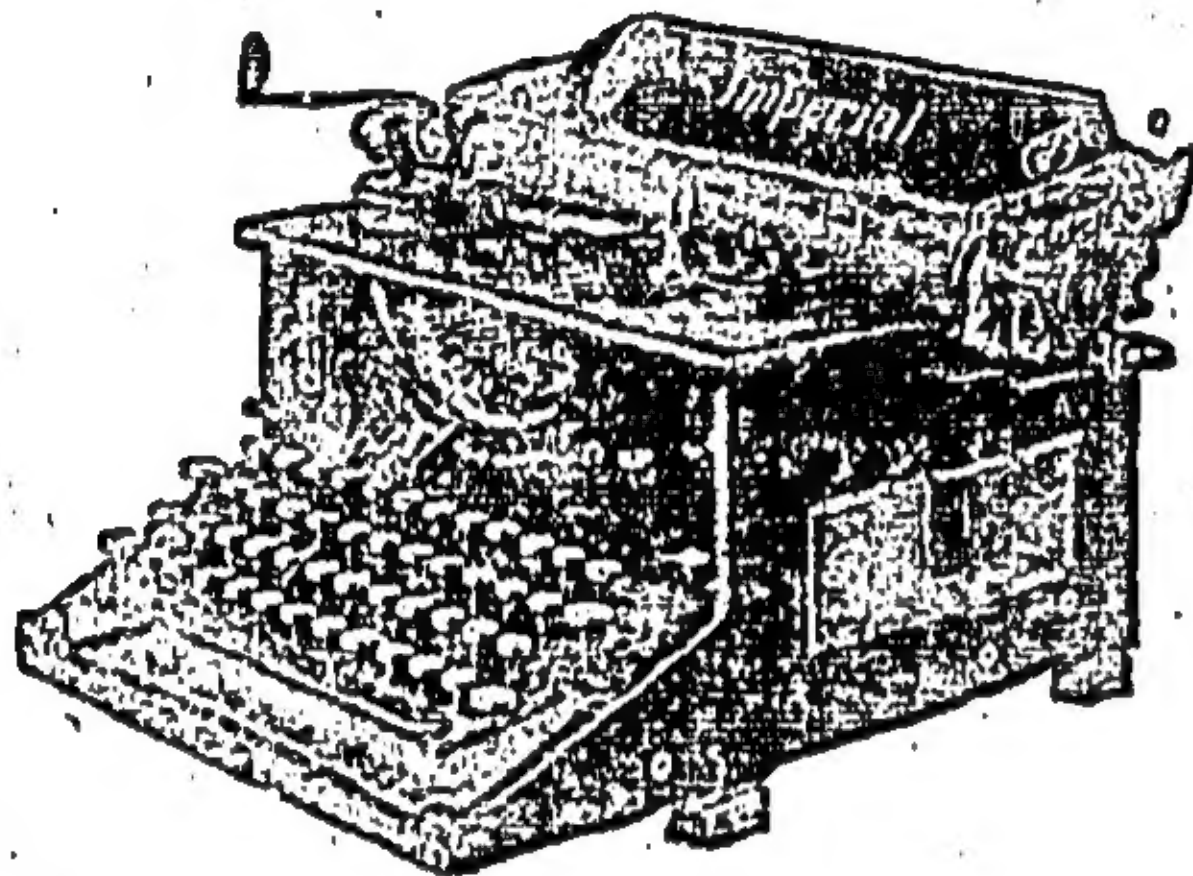
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TRAIN CRASH IN STATION

40 PASSENGERS INJURED

London, Apr. 25.

During the morning rush hour at Victoria Station yesterday the 7.40 electric train from Brighton over-ran the platform and crashed into the buffers.

Between 40 and 50 people were injured, but only one sufficiently seriously to be detained in hospital.

The large number of injured persons is due, no doubt, to the fact that as the train was entering the station scores of passengers were standing and many were at the open doors waiting to jump off when the train slowed down.

The result was that when the train crashed into the buffers the standing passengers were flung in a heap and those at the doors were thrown on the platform.

Mr. Arthur Jackson, of Brighton one of the injured passengers, emphasised this point.

"When the train ran into the buffers with a terrific jolt," he said, "it threw the crowded passengers against one another and knocked them against the carriage seats and tables. The train seemed to be entering the station in the normal way and when one was least expecting it there was a terrific crash and it felt as if everything was tumbling round us."

"Several of the woman passengers screamed as they were flung across

PLANE DASH TO TRAWLER

2-DAY SALVAGE TRIP IN 6 HOURS

Soon after word was received in Fleetwood that the local trawler Sulby was on the rocks off the Mull of Kintyre, on the south-west coast of Scotland, a monoplane with a salvage officer aboard took off from Blackpool aerodrome.

After a two-hours flight in hazy weather the trawler was located, with a lifeboat and a steamer standing by. While the monoplane was circling round preparing to land the Sulby was seen to float off the rocks with the rising tide. The monoplane then headed for home.

The distance from Fleetwood to the Mull of Kintyre as the crow flies is only 180 miles, but the salvage officer, Mr. W. Chapman, said that in six hours he had been able to make a journey which by rail and road would have taken more than two days.

"This is the first time that an aeroplane has been used in salvage work on this coast," he said.

the carriage."

Broken Glass

Many windows were broken and several passengers were cut by broken glass. Umbrellas, papers, books, attache cases and women's handbags were strewn on the platform.

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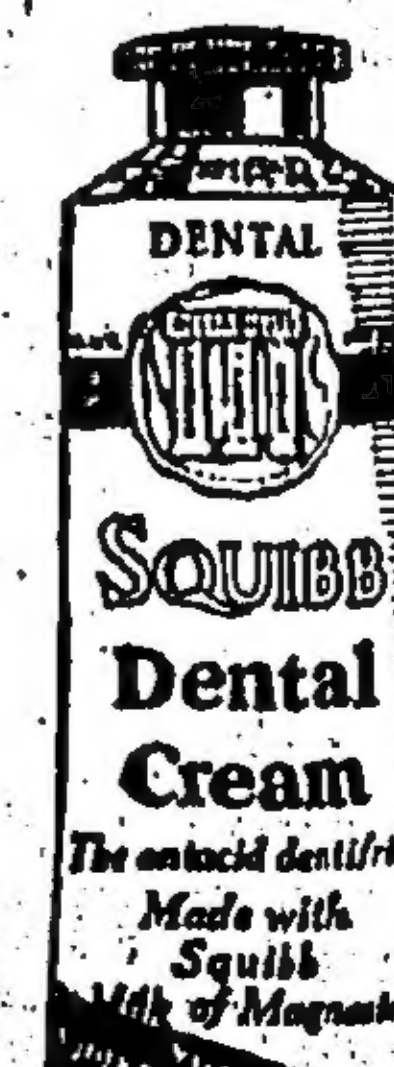


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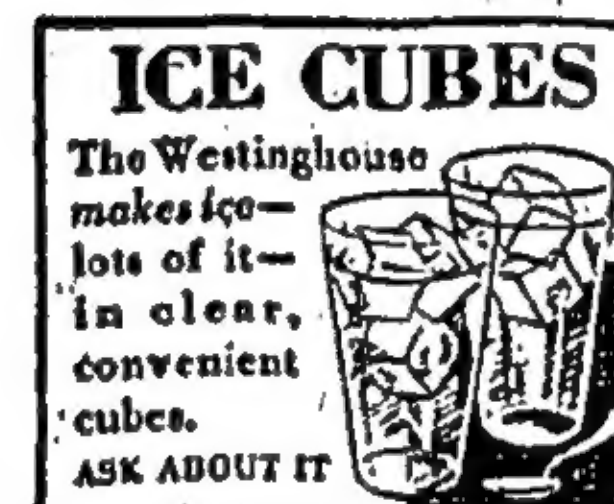


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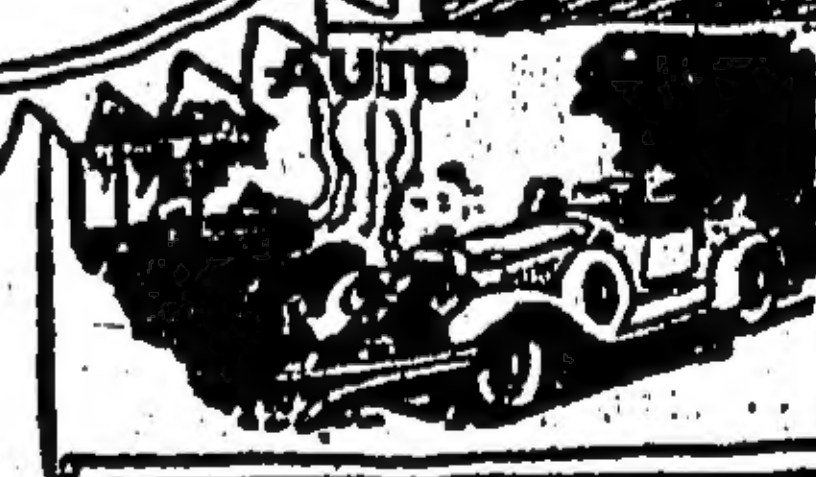
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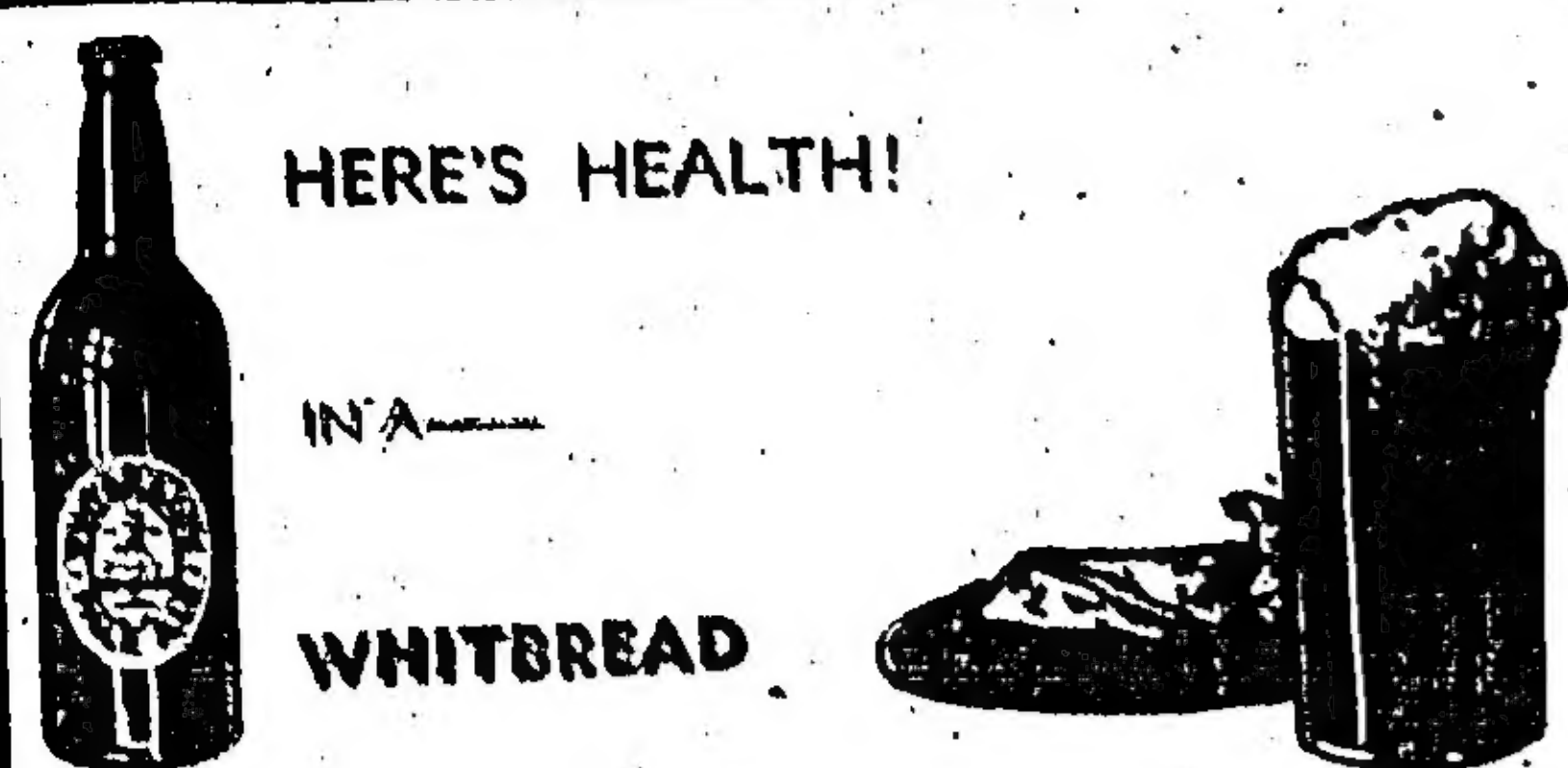
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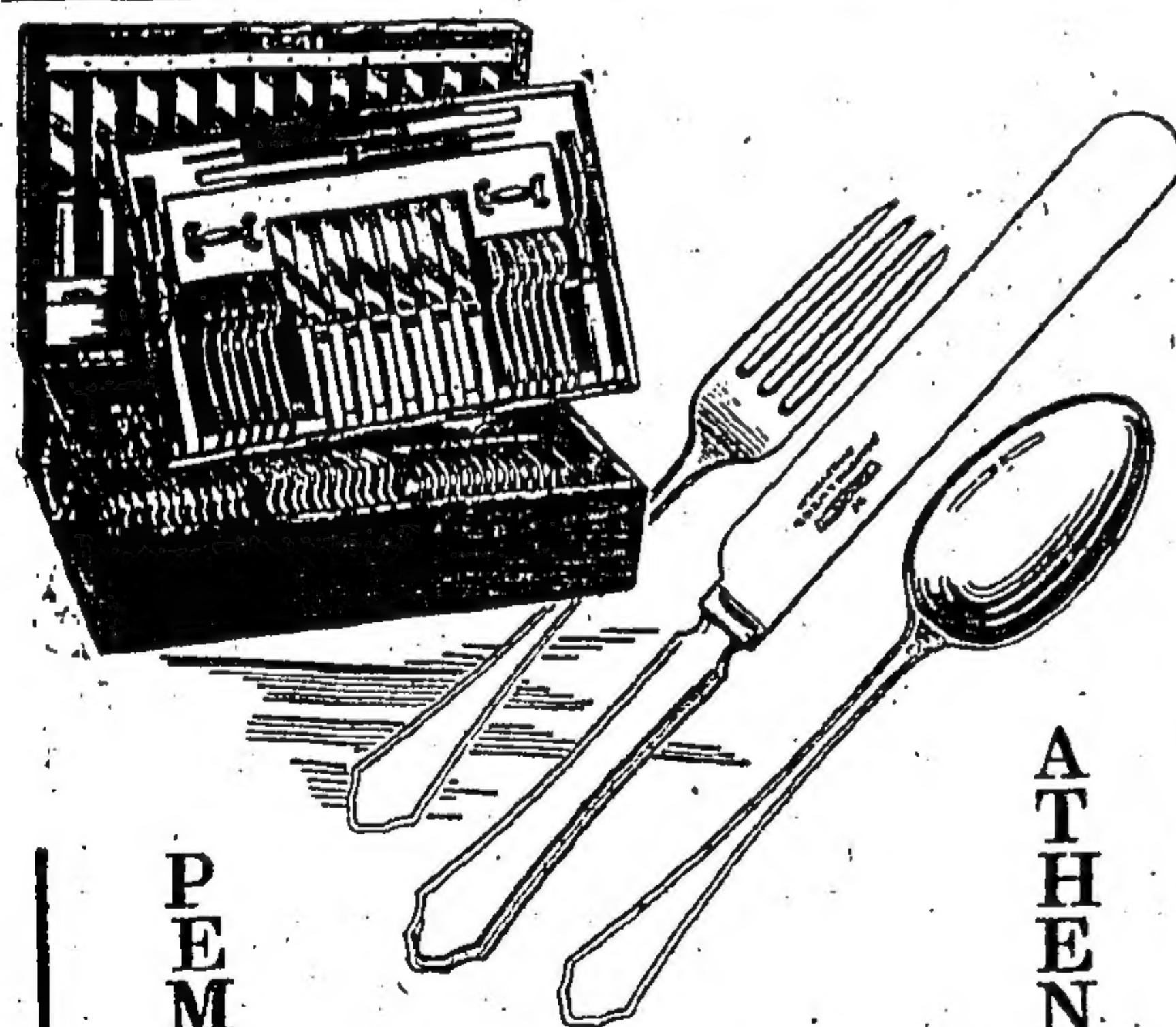
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DEATHS.

ABLONG.—On 27th May, 1933, Joan Millicent Ablong, aged 6 years. Deeply beloved daughter of Ernest and Mabel Ablong. Funeral will pass the Monument at 5 p.m. to-day.

EVANS.—At the Government Civil Hospital on 27th May, 1933, David Iltyd Evans, age 45, late chief engineer S.S. "Halvard." Funeral will pass the Monument at 4.45 p.m. to-morrow (Sunday).

The Hongkong Telegraph

SATURDAY, MAY 27, 1933.

SILVER RATIO

The shelving of the silver, gold 16 to 1 ratio resolution by the House of Representatives is a warning signal. The ostensible reason is the desire of Mr. Cordell Hull to go to the World Economic Conference with his hands free. But it may well mark the doom of bimetalism. Mr. Cordell Hull frowned upon the resolution, there is reason to believe, because of a growing conviction among experts in America that bimetalism would be extremely dangerous as the most extravagant form of inflation, next to the wholesale printing of paper. To show what the creation of the double standard would mean it is sufficient to point out that the present ratio of silver to gold is about 70 to 1. The advocates of remonetisation will not give up their efforts without a severe struggle. The weakness of their case, however, lies in the fact that it is not particularly gold, or its scarcity, that is causing currency difficulties. It is the lack of a proper gold policy and the absence of a coordinated banking system. Both must bear much of the blame for the deflation that silver advocates now shower on gold. Senator Carter Glass, observing the way in which the run on gold induced the American Government to bar Federal Reserve windows against redemption, stated that the sight caused him to have less respect for gold. It is true that people expected too much from it. The theory has been consistently advertised that the United States was the only country willing to pay out gold coin on demand. The truth is that the country was on a gold and credit standard. Many things become clear when this is realized. Part of the trouble is that this credit, being an elusive quantity, has been in steady process of drying up in the last three years. It has been removed merely by the action of bankers in calling in loans and liquidating investments. Such a statement does not by any means imply a criticism of bankers' policy. It is an indictment of the system. Banks under the present system are always to the fore in leading prosperity into speculation. In a depression they scramble com-

petitively for the dubious honour of leading the retreat. They are always willing to dispense umbrellas when the day is fine, but when the rain comes they recall them and leave the community at the mercy of the elements. It is inconceivable that any country would wish to dispense altogether with credit and go back to a purely metallic basis for its currency. To put silver in the place of credit as the support of gold would be to court disaster. Suppose that a decree did fix the ratio at 16 to 1. Instead of allowing it, as now, to remain at an unfixed or open market relation. The onus would then be placed upon Governments to maintain the fixed ratio. But the open market price would never stay put. Suppose that price was 17 to 1. The owner of an ounce of gold would exchange it for 17 ounces of silver in the market. Then he would be able to pocket one and exchange his 16 ounces at the mint for one ounce of gold. The upshot, if Gresham's law has any validity, as it has, would be that the cheaper money would drive out the dearer. But the price problem isn't solved by dismissing one attempt at solution. It remains as the foremost challenge to sober statesmanship. The aim is twofold. In the first place, it is to boost all commodity prices, which are out of relation with factory prices. Secondly, it is to reduce those fixed prices, such as debts and taxes, which weigh so heavily on depleted incomes. United action is also promised on an international front to further both ends. If these efforts fail, the job must be faced of attacking the price problem via the currency. Bimetallism at the ratio of 16 to 1, however, would probably make matters worse. That is not to suggest that all artificial means of raising silver prices are barred. If, as it is believed, silver prices are close to the bottom to-day, there seems no reason why it should not be used as an additional currency backing. The central banks could not lose heavily on any stocks of the white metal that they acquired. And furthermore, other methods, the restoration of the fineness of the metal in subsidiary coins and the wider use of silver for subsidiary coins, are suggestions well within reason.

Soft Answers

The biblical axiom has it that a soft answer turneth away wrath. The Government might have borne this in mind when subjected—on Thursday—to a series of questions dealing with the vexed issues of malaria and the shooting of dogs. That is, of course, so very unnecessary when the Government is doing its best. Complaints have been received regarding cases of malaria in Kowloon Tong, says the official spokesman finally. But he leaves it at that. A supplementary question immediately suggests itself, regarding the seriousness of the outbreak and the present position. The answer might have been volunteered. Investigations were carried out by an expert in 1932. It is now May, 1933, and the Government admit they have proceeded no further than preparing estimates for expenditure on a drainage scheme. Finally we have the cryptic information that the work will be put in hand as soon as circumstances permit. Is not the public entitled to know, after investigations in 1932, what "circumstances" there are to prevent the work being carried out? Equally unsatisfactory answers were given the questions concerning the police shooting of dogs. It is impossible to ascertain the owners of dogs until they are captured or shot. They are only shot when they cannot safely be captured. So state the authorities. Perhaps they have no knowledge of the instances where dogs have been shot on their owners' doorsteps, or swimming round an owner's sampan, or actually muzzled, or walking quietly along the street needing only a firm hand on its collar? This attitude of "give the public what we think it ought to be told," needs revision. Unofficial members of the Council, will perhaps sink into complacent somnolence, thankful that some sort of answers, even if they are grossly inadequate, have been given.

WORLDS WITHIN WORLDS

By E. L. ALLEN

What amazing skill and patience must have gone to the making of those ivory carvings in the local shops, which never fail to attract the tourist's eye and often charm his purse open as well! How inconceivably fine the instruments must be which are used on such work, and how delicately accurate every touch and turn of the workman's hand! If, indeed, we ought not to speak of him rather as an artist! Especially is this the case with those ivory balls which lie, sphere within sphere, each with a pattern that can challenge comparison with the finest lace-work. You take one into your hand and shake it, and one after another the inner spheres reveal themselves, five or six in number, right through to the centre. There has been no slipshod work here; perfection has been aimed at and, as far as least as the eye can see, it has been reached. I have sometimes wondered whether this world we live in is a lot built after the same pattern. Perhaps, if we could only see it aright, we should find that it is made up of worlds within worlds. In imagination, take it into your hands and look at it. What do you see on the outside? Why, just the ordinary, common-sense world we all live in, to be sure, an affair of land and water, houses and streets, tables and chairs, and human beings! You don't need any explanation of this, you say, you are quite familiar with it already.

HOW ALL IS CHANGED!

But now someone comes along and, looking over your shoulder, suggests that you shake this ordinary, common-sense world a little and see what lies beneath it. He is the scientist. You act on his suggestion, and hey presto! how all is changed! What you see now is a world made up of electrical charges, mathematical formulae, and penny-in-the-slot packets of energy. And those electrical charges are so incredibly minute that a million million of them could carry on their operations inside a fair-sized pea and they are cramped for room! They form highly complex societies and carry on a most vigorous life; they are never short of elbow room, since they have whole tracts of empty space in which to enjoy themselves, and they are so heavy that a match-box filled with them

would weigh a ton! Of course, you are inclined to shake your head doubtfully at all this, but your scientist friend assures you it is really there, if you could only see what lies behind and inside these tables and chairs and human beings around you. Then he walks away, not at all sure whether he has quite convinced you, and someone else takes his place. Or rather, two people come this time. One of them is the artist, and the other—well, we will call him the practical man. Their advice is the same, to shake the world-ball in your hands and to see what really lies underneath it. Each of them, to be sure, rather resents the presence of the other man, and they fall into controversy as to what they want you to see.

BUT BEHIND IT ALL—

One man shows you a world made up of goods and services, the law of supply and demand, market prices and paying propositions, and all that sort of thing. The artist sees something quite different. He sees a beauty so wonderful that it threatens to reduce him to silence when he tries to describe it, and when he has managed to control his amazement, it pours itself out of him in poetry or music or paints itself before his eyes on canvas, using him more or less as its instrument, so that he can hardly believe that what is happening is his own doing. Here is what one of them says about the difference between himself and the other man. "I see Everything I paint in This World; but Every Body does not see alike. To the Eyes of a Miser a Guinea is more beautiful than the Sun, and a bag worn with the use of Money has more beautiful proportions than a Vine filled with Grapes. The tree which moves some to tears of joy is in the Eyes of others only a Green thing which stands in the way." When these men have said their say, another steps quietly forward. He does not dispute what the others have seen, he is anxious merely that you should not miss what lies behind all this yet. He takes a fine needle and arranges each of these worlds in its place, not throwing a single one away, but just bidding you look through and beyond them all to what lies at the centre. And he tells you that if you look long enough you will see there what he himself has seen, the last reality of all, which is God Himself.

NETHERLANDS INDUSTRIES FAIR

GREATER SUCCESS THAN EXPECTED

The 28th Royal Netherlands Industries Fair was held in Utrecht. In spite of the fact that prevailing conditions in Holland have become very much worse since the Spring Fair of 1932, and the national buying power has decreased, the Fair maintained the standard of previous Fairs.

The results proved more satisfactory than was considered possible under the present conditions.

Participation was surprising, some groups (furniture, household articles and building materials) ex-

ceeded the turnover of the 1932 Spring Fair. In all 1415 firms from 16 different countries participated. There were no exhibits from China, Japan and Hongkong.

Belgium, France and Austria were represented by national sections which attracted much attention and the organisers were quite satisfied with the business results obtained.

Germany, Italy and Switzerland were represented by official enquiry offices, while South Africa participated with its own exhibit of South African produce. The Netherlands Colonial Section drew very much attention this time, thanks to an exhibit of native industrial produce, leatherwork and fibres.

H. R. H. Princess Juliana paid a visit to the Fair.

The Autumn Fair will be held from September 5th till September 14th inclusive.



"How terribly thrilling it must be to risk one's life for a trophy."

BULLS AND INNERS

From the Office Butts

Couldn't this new invisible ray be used on some of public speakers or on the lad who used to broadcast these important notices concerning the Empire Fair?

Mexico has announced her intention of remaining a member of the League of Nations. Otherwise crime in this country is normal.

After all it's a sign of progress when people begin questioning the need for a Military Contribution.

The name is announced of the first Italian to receive capital punishment in Tunisia. This will be no doubt, something of which his grandchildren will one day be proud.

The reason why so many women ply the lip-stick and face-creams so liberally is because they haven't the face to do without them.

Some of our motoring Letharios seem concerned with the number of gals to the mile.

We've just heard the ideal vocation. Tester in a mattress factory!

As soon as Eddie Kelly heard someone say on the wireless that the greatest war in the future would be Man versus Microbe he asked Mrs. Kelly what side she would be on.

Mrs. MacWhirter says that all the grumbling in the world at Robert about a new frock gets her no wear.

Hongkong once had beautiful roads—even now, there are permanent waves.

Don't sing at work. Remember, the mosquito.

It is again the fashion for girls to have their ears pierced. We imagine that many have had them bored before this.

The funniest thing about some women is their husband.

Edward Kelly wonders what we should do if we all lived to be a hundred. Grumble at the water shortage, of course.

It is estimated that if all the people who went to see the Empire Fair were placed behind each other along the Repulse Bay road they would not have seen the Fair.

Even if he is a bad egg—break it gently!

Even when a woman has nothing to talk about, she can always talk about an hour.

We overheard a lady express the conviction that travelling is not what it used to be. Especially when one has to put one's age on the passport!

We sympathise with the Peak tram passenger who explained that it was "too hot" to carry his season ticket. Why not take such people at face value?

As usual, a typhoon is predicted for this year. This does not necessarily imply that Hongkong will get the wind up!

Although it is somewhat early in the season, we have already met this year's potential. Bowls champion—Five of 'em!

The incident during the week when an enthusiastic big game fisherman cast a tremendous hook in the Repulse Bay, proved to be a false alarm. It was only the anchor!

It is already reported that Rotarians in New York have served beer with lunch. This should assist the trade revival in rotary pumps.

Nature Note.—Jelly fish do not sting this month unless it happens to be a Christian name.

Even Genova cannot disarm suspicion.

According to a report in a London newspaper, a 2-year-old boy acting as train bearer for a wedding cried so bitterly that he was relieved of duty before he reached the church altar. Now fancy a kid like that knowing so much about marriage.

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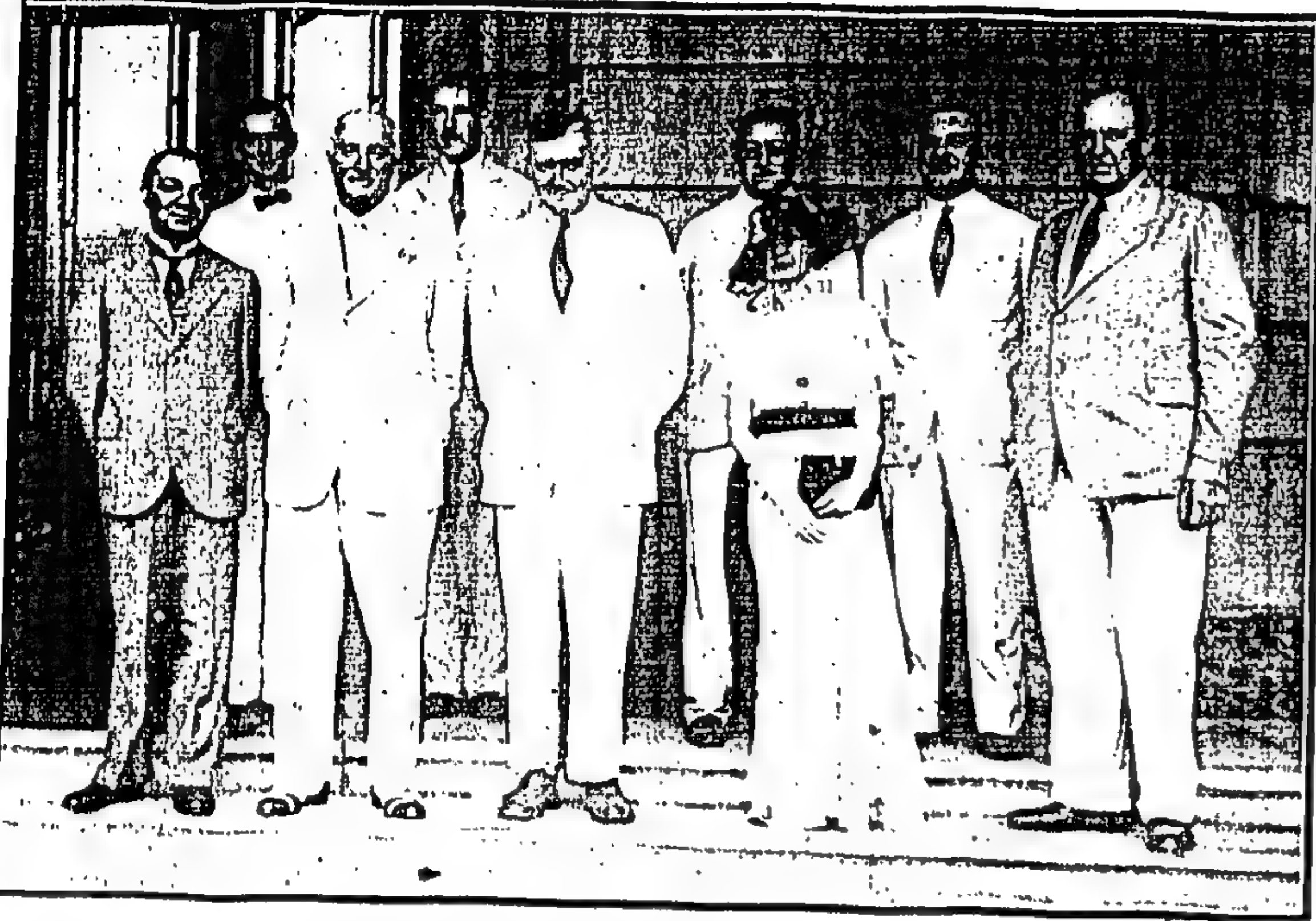
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H.E. the Governor and Lady Peel photographed with members of the Empire Fair Organising Committee, the Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson, centre, on the occasion of the opening ceremony. (Photo: King's Studio).



Mr. Lin Yun-kei, chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government being greeted by the Hon. Mr. Paterson on his arrival at the Empire Fair. (Photo: King's Studio).



One of the stands at the British Empire Fair, Peninsula Hotel Section. (Photo: King's Studio).



Sir William Peel snapped immediately after his arrival for the formal opening of the Fair. (Photo: King's Studio).



The aeroplane exhibits at the Fair attracted considerable attention. The midget plane in which Mr. Loring flew from Madrid to Manila is shown above with a larger Far Eastern Aviation Company's machine just behind. (Photo: King's Studio).



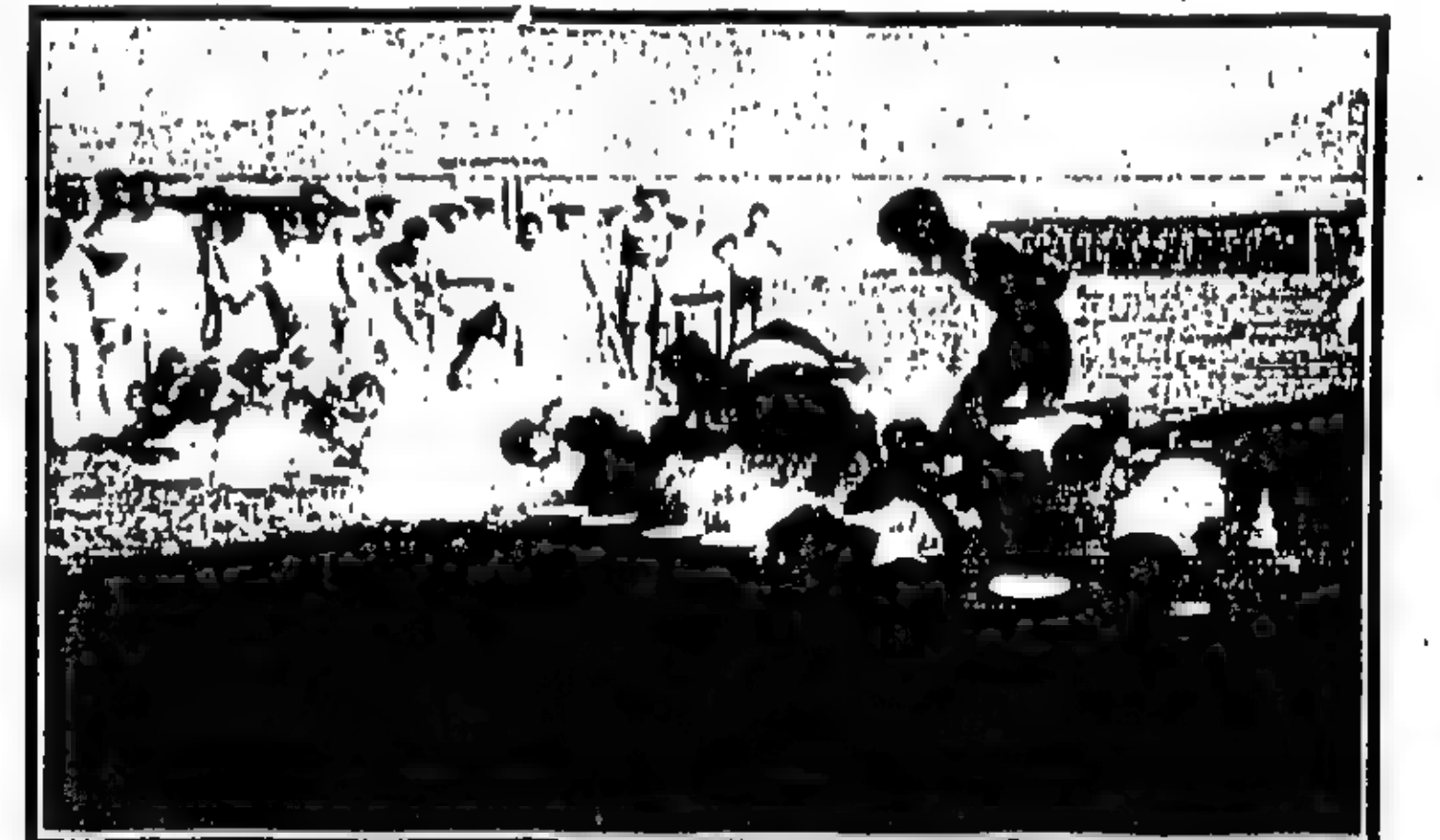
The ladies of the Canton official party which attended the Empire Fair are shown above arriving at the Peninsula Hotel. (Photo: King's Studio).



Photo taken after the wedding on Monday of Mr. To Ki-siu and Miss Chan Man-sang. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



A group of competitors and friends taken after the eighth annual sports held at the Kowloon Football Club recently.



An amusing scene at the Sacred Heart sports, competitors setting up a mild dust storm in their enthusiasm.



Mr. G. H. Poite, the doyen of the Hongkong Stock Exchange, laid the foundation stone of the new building last week. Photo by Mrs. Platt shows the site.



The wedding took place at Union Church on Sunday last, when the above picture was taken, of Mr. Michael A. Koodiaroff and Miss Elizabeth Touching. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



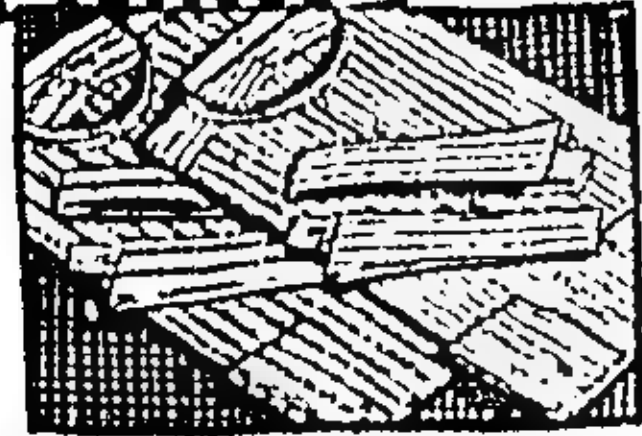
S. A. Rumjahn, who won the Hundred and Two-Twenty at the I.R.C. sports is shown above, extreme left, in the final of the short event. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Marcia, one of the little dancers, who will perform at Miss Capell's display next Wednesday.

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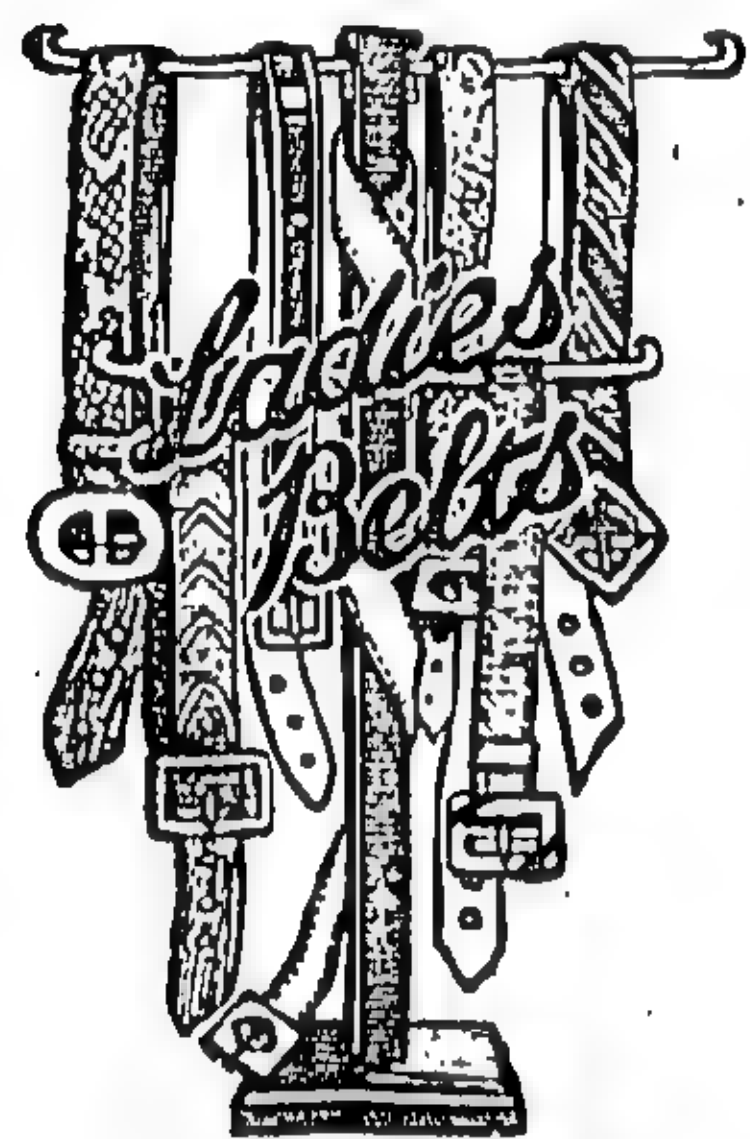
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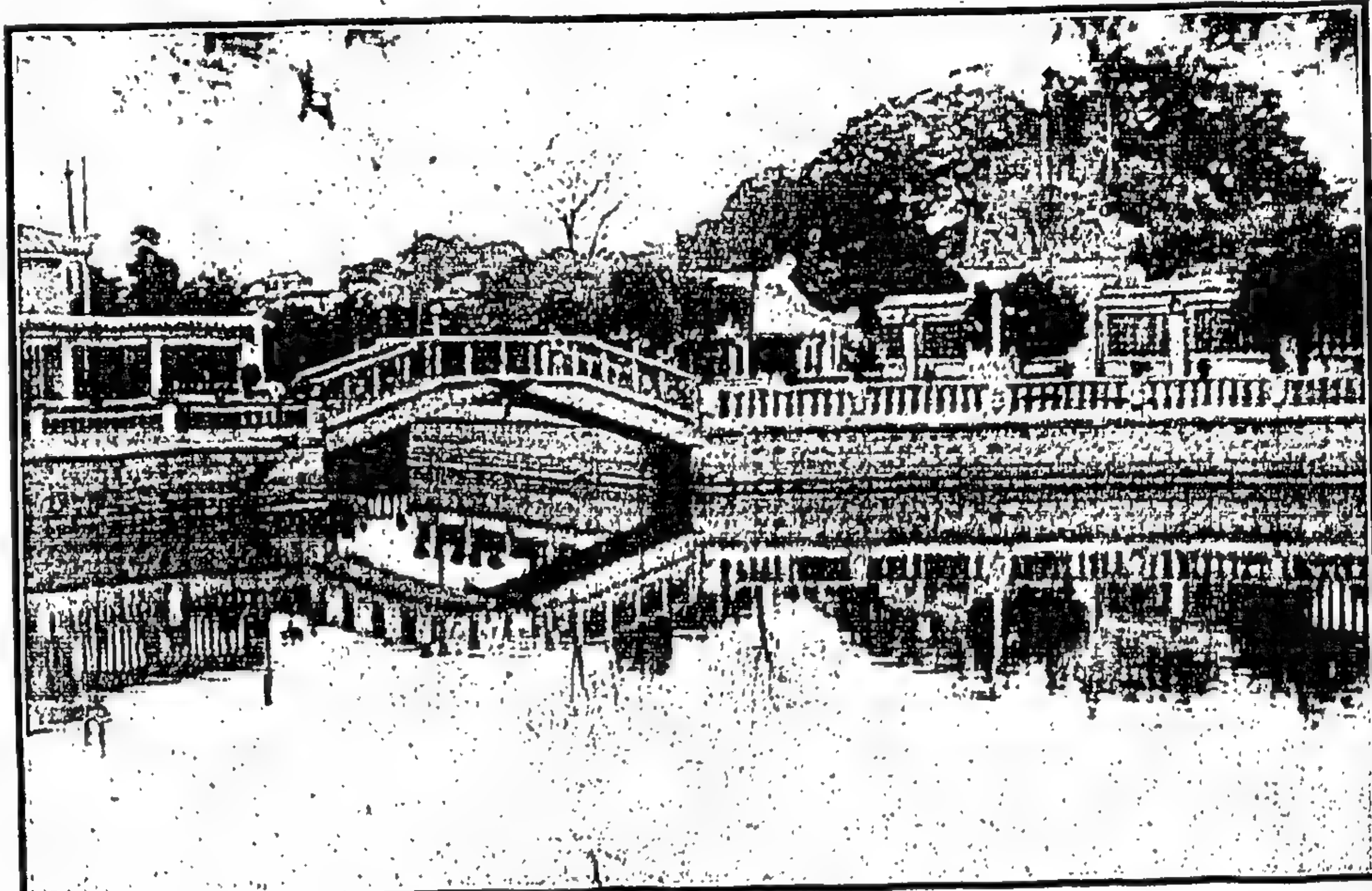
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The St. John Ambulance Brigade flag day last Saturday was a great success. Photo shows two of the many street sellers. (King's Studio).



Group taken at the Jockey Club last week when the visiting film stars, Bert Wheeler and Robert Woolsey were the guests of Hongkong jockeys at tiffin. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



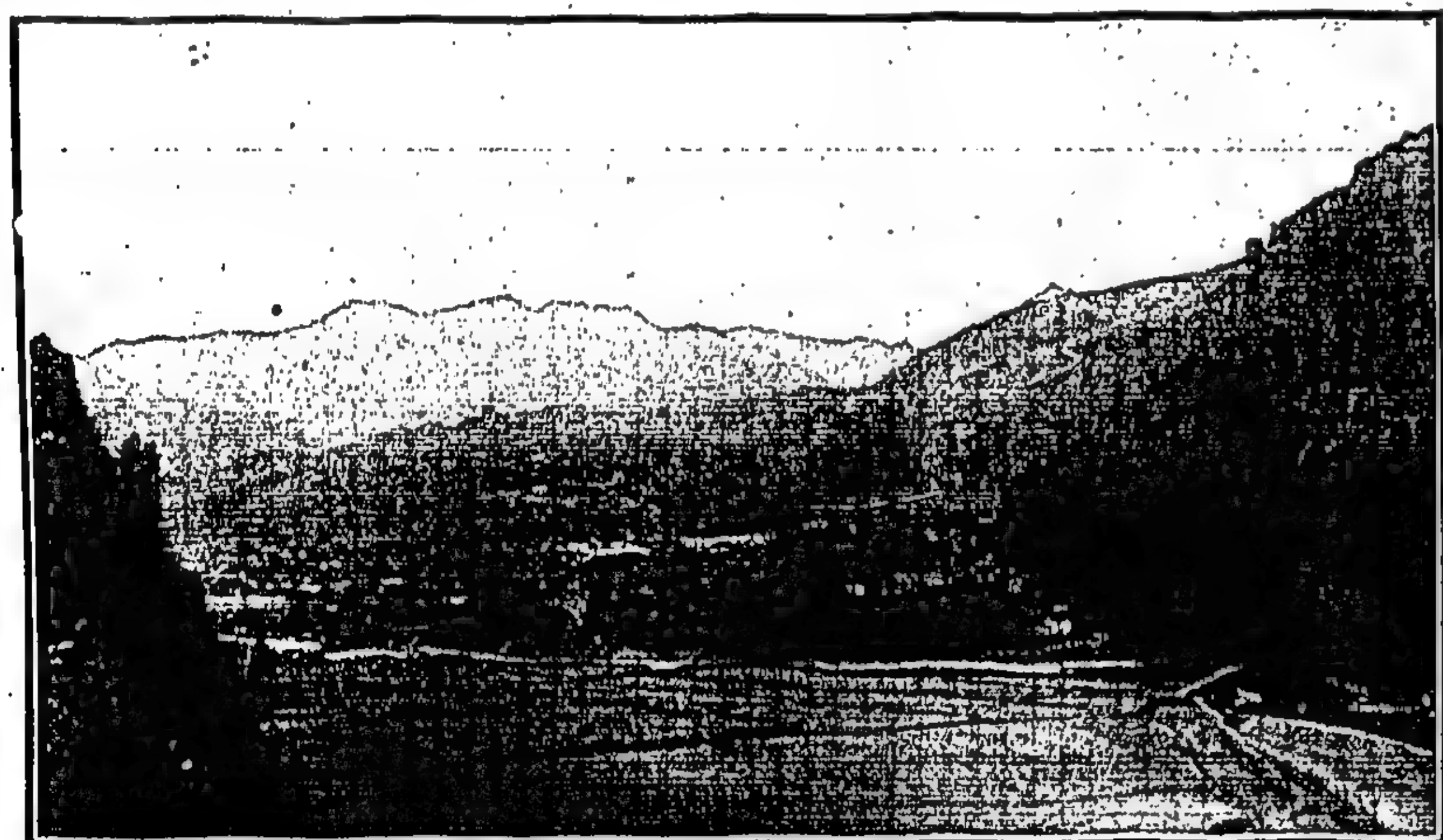
One of the beauty spots of the China Coast is Amoy Park where the above picture was taken, by Mr. S. W. Coleman.



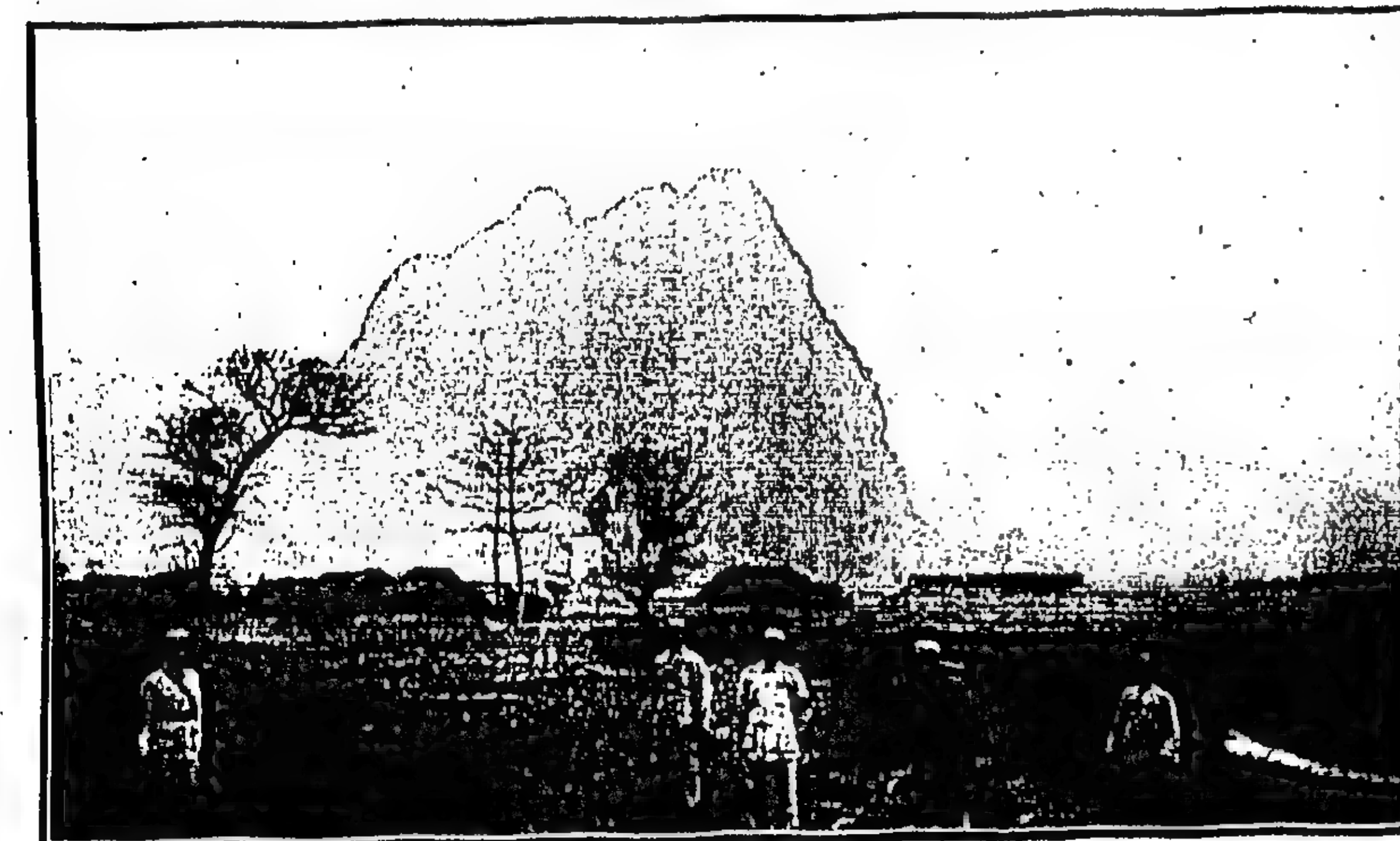
Three of Miss Violet Capell's pupils who are taking part in the annual recital next week at the King's Theatre. They are the Misses Stella, Audrey and Helen Ho lu.



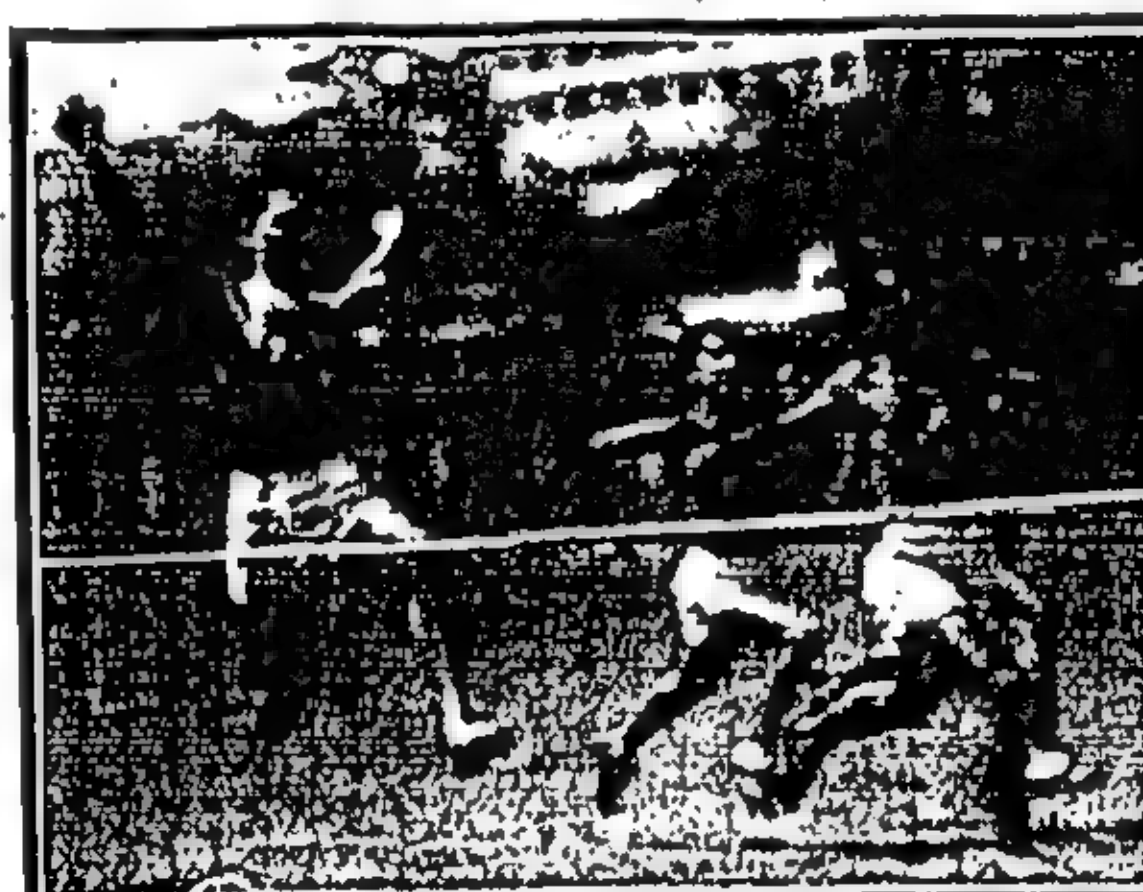
Photo taken on the occasion of the wedding of Mr. Tam Sik-poon, of the S.C.M. Post staff, and Miss Hui Sau-ying, at the Empress Hotel.



A bird's eye view of the district city of Tonglau, which has been recovered from Communists after severe struggles.



A view of Wuchuan, the town of Wei Pah-kuen, notorious Communist leader, who was captured and beheaded, the area now being free of the "Reds." The military officers in the foreground are standing on the ruins of Wei's headquarters.



A fine action picture of the finish of one of the race at the I.R.C. sports. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



The presentation of prizes at the annual sports of the Indian Recreation Club. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



At the Temple entrance. Photo by Mr. S. W. Coleman.



A delightful study by Mrs. J. W. Platt.

FOXX INJURED

TWISTS KNEE IN DETROIT GAME

YANKEES LOSE TO CHICAGO

Washington, May 26. The defeat of New York Yankees by Chicago was among the surprises of the day in the Major Baseball League programme to-day.

Jimmy Foxx, the Philadelphia striker sustained an accident, when he twisted his knee and was forced to retire.

New York Giants managed to nose out Pittsburgh and St. Louis accomplished a similar performance in a fourteen innings game against Philadelphia.

The scores as cabled by Reuter were:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	4	9	1
Boston	3	10	1
(Moore homered for Boston and F. Herman for Chicago.)			
Cincinnati	3	7	1
Brooklyn	2	7	0
(Cucinello homered for Brooklyn and Hafey for Cincinnati)			
Pittsburgh	5	12	2
New York	6	12	1
(Mancuso homered for New York.)			
St. Louis	5	13	1
Philadelphia	4	14	1
(Klein and Whitney homered for Philadelphia and Martin for St. Louis.)			



Mr. Horatio Bottomley, once famous as the Editor of John Bull, whose death occurred yesterday.

Louis. There were fourteen innings.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
	R.	H.	E.
New York	6	9	1
Chicago	8	15	3
(Appling homered for Chicago)			
Boston	6	9	1
Cleveland	5	7	3
(Boss homered for Cleveland and R. Johnson for Boston)			
Philadelphia	1	6	5
Detroit	10	14	0
(Greenberg and Hayworth homered for Detroit, and Foxx twisted his knee in the second innings and retired)			
Washington	5	11	1
St. Louis	2	4	1
(Play ended at the seventh innings owing to rain.)			

RESCUE HOPES FOR NANCHANG MEN.

RELIEF PARTY CIRCLES BANDITS CAMP

Tokyo, May 26. After having been held captives for nearly two months, the three British officers of the Nanchang are expected to be rescued in a day or two.

Messages have been received here from Mukden, stating that the Japanese-Manchukuo relief party has encircled the kidnappers' camp, and demanded the immediate release of the prisoners. Otherwise, force is threatened.

The captives are Messrs. Clifford Johnson, A. D. Blue and W. E. Hargrave. Together with Mr. F. L. Pears, they were seized by bandits while the B. and S. steamer Nanchang was lying at anchor off Nanchang, awaiting a pilot, on March 30. They were taken to the Panhsan district, where Mrs. Pawley and Mr. Corkran were held captives six months before and a big ransom demanded. Pears was released on April 8.

Since that date the prisoners have moved about the country with many adventures, not the least exciting of which was an attack on April 13 by another gang which deprived the original kidnappers of their prizes.—Reuter.

The name of Mr. L. W. Amps, O.B.E., has been added to the list of authorised architects.

THE VOLUNTEERS

ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK ISSUED

Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps orders by Colonel L. G. Blair, D.S.O., O.B.E., Commandant, Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps. Friday, May 26.

1.—Parade.
(a). The Battery.—1. There will be a parade for Lewis Gun Instruction at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, June 1st, at Headquarters. 2. King's Birthday Parade. Every member must make an effort to attend this parade on June 3rd. For details see General Orders.

(b). Engineer Company.—Practice at Miniature Range on Monday, May 29th, 1933. Saturday, June 3rd, King's Birthday Parade.

(c). Corps Signale.—Parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, 30th May, 1933.

(d). Armoured Car Section.—The Section will parade on Monday 29th at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m.

(e). Motor Machine Gun Section.—Monday—May 29th. Practice riding parade for King's Birthday Parade. The following N.C.O.'s and men will collect A. J. S. Combinations from the P.W.D. Garage and parade at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m.—Sergeant E. L. Gosme, Platoon W. L. Miller, Platoon G. Fowler, Platoon H. F. Shields.

All members with Solo Machines are urged to make a special endeavour to parade on this date. Saturday—June 3rd. The Section will provide the escort to H. E. The Governor on the King's Birthday Parade. Parade at Headquarters 8.45 a.m. Combination Drivers as detailed above. All members with Solo Machines must turn out for this parade. Dress. Helmet, Turic, Brooches, Puttees (rolled down), Boots, Belt, Medals (if any) Revolvers, to be drawn from Headquarters.

(f). Scottish Company.—Wednesday 31st instant. No. 6 Platoon will parade at Kowloon Dock under Lieut. T. P. Sanderson for Arms Drill. Belt and Frog will be worn. Thursday 1st June, 1933. No. 7 Platoon will parade at Headquarters under Lieut. A. W. Brown for Arms Drill. Belt and Frog will be worn. Saturday 3rd June, 1933. The Company will parade at Headquarters under Capt. H. R. Forsyth at 10 a.m. for the King's Birthday Parade. Dress. Review Order.

(g). A.A.L.A. Company.—As from 1st May, 1933, parades will be held only on 1st Monday of each month (repeated).

(h). Portuguese Company.—A Course of nine classes and lectures on interesting and instructive subjects will be held during the months of June, July and August on Tuesday evenings at 5.30 p.m. All Officers and N.C.O.'s are expected to attend and any other member of the Company, especially men who are keen on promotion, may do so. When the Winter Training Season commences the position regarding N.C.O.'s will be reviewed. The first lecture will be held on Tuesday, 13th June, 1933. "Discipline and Training" by the O.C. Company.

(i). The Officers Commanding the uncommissioned Units will issue their Orders separately to their Commands.—Corps Band, Machine Gun Troop, Machine Gun Company, Anzac Company.

2.—Leave.
No. 80, R.Q.M.S. H. Green, Corps Headquarters, granted six months leave from 1.9.33 to 3.11.33.

No. 1723, Tpr. R. H. Wade, Machine Gun Troop, granted twelve months leave from 8.3.33 to 7.3.34.

3.—Struck off Strength.
Having completed three years service, No. 1666, Bdm. F. J. M. Rodriguez, Corps Band, as from 12.5.33.

4.—Kennedy Road Range.—Allotment of.

The Kennedy Road Range is allotted to the Armoured Car Section on Monday 29th May at 5.30 p.m.

5.—Efficiency Board Meeting.
A Meeting of the Efficiency Board will be held at Headquarters on Tuesday, 30th May, 1933 at 5.30 p.m.

All Officers Commanding Active Units will attend.

6.—King's Birthday Parade.
(a). The Corps will parade as strong as possible on 3rd June, 1933 on the occasion of the Birthday of His Majesty The King.

The Pipes and Drums will attend. Assemble at Headquarters at 10 a.m.

Dress.—Review Order, i.e. Topco, Khaki Jacket, Shorts, Puttees, Hosetops (or Breeches and Puttees) and Black Boots.

Rifle, Belt and Side-arms (or Bandollers).

Medals will be worn.

(b). The Machine Gun Troop will ride past at the Head of the Corps, and will rendezvous at Headquarters as above.

(c). The Motor Machine Gun Section will provide the escort to His Excellency The Governor.

(d). The Armoured Car Section will move in rear of the Corps. Lieut. J. F. Wright will receive instructions as to assembly point later.

(e). The Composition of the Companies and Colour Party will be as follows:—

No. 1 Company.—Commander—Captain M. A. Johnson, M.M. The Bat-

HANDSHAKE THAT WON A BET

PRINCE TALKS TO WIVES OF WORKLESS

Prince George's tour of centres for the unemployed in the Black Country was crowded with incidents.

As he walked bareheaded through cheering crowds at Wednesbury to lay the foundation stone of a new porch and offices which unemployed men are building at the school extension two girls asked him to stop for a photograph.

The Prince stopped at once, looked up and smiled while the girls clicked their cameras at him.

Then there was the handshake which, it turned out, helped a school caretaker to win a bet.

Harry Howles is his name, and at the Park-lane allotments the Prince chatted with him about Brussels sprouts.

"How are you, Sir?" Suddenly thrusting out his hand, Howles said, "How are you, sir?"

The Prince took his hand, shook it, and replied smilingly, "Very well indeed. I hope you have good luck."

As soon as the Prince had left him Howles should, "I have won 10s. if a certain gentleman saw that." He had made a bet with a prominent worker for the unemployed that he would shake hands with the royal visitor.

At Darlaston the Prince photographed a cake stand made out of orange boxes by unemployed men which is to be sold for an occupational centre fund.

Going on to Bilston he chatted to wives of some unemployed who were mending garments and making rugs.

In a cobbler's shop he was greeted with "Good evening your Royal Highness" in a shrill voice from a doll in the lap of a ventriloquist, Mr. Tom Hickel, an unemployed cobbler.

"What do you call him?" asked the Prince. "Joseph, sir," said Mr. Hickel, who made the "model" himself, but the doll protested "No, my name is Joey: they only call me Joseph on Sundays."

DRUG RING WAR

STRONG LAWS FORMED BY GENEVA

Geneva, May 26.

The Council of the League of Nations has approved the report of the advisory committee on the traffic of opium, submitting a draft convention for the suppression of the illicit traffic of dangerous drugs.

The convention strengthens the existing laws and also envisages punishment for the manufacture, conversion, extraction, preparation, possession, brokerage, purchase, importation and exportation, of drugs or substances covered by the Hague-Geneva conventions.

The offences will be punishable even when committed in other countries. It is also planned to make the offences extraditable.—Reuter.

tery, Engineer Company, Corps Signals.

No. 2 Company.—Commander—Captain H. Owen-Hughes, Machine Gun Company.

Colour Party, Two Officers and three Sergeants to be detailed by O. C. Anzac Company.

No. 3 Company.—Commander—Captain H. R. Forsyth, Scottish Company.

No. 4 Company.—Commander—Lieut. C. de S. Robertson, M. M. Anzac Company.

No. 5 Company.—Commander—Captain S. Jarvis, M. C. Portuguese Company.

NOTE:
(1). Members of the Reserve Company will parade with the Units to which they belong.

(2). Dress for Battery, Troop and Armoured Car Company will be as laid down in Corps Regulations.

1.—Sergeant's Mess.
The President and Members of the Sergeant's Mess will be "At Home" to their friends on H. M. the King's Birthday, June 3rd, 1933 from 11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

All members of the Mess are requested to meet the Adjutant in the Mess at the conclusion of "H. M. The King's Birthday Parade."

Should the Parade be cancelled for any reason, members will meet in the Mess at 11.30 a.m. June 3rd, 1933.

2.—Officers' Mess Library.
The following books are missing from the Officers' Mess Library:—

The Defence of Dufferin Bridge.
The Defence of Bowlers Bridge.
Will the Officer or Officers in possession of same, please return to The Library.

MORTGAGE PROPERTY AUCTIONED.

FOUR VALUABLE HOUSES ON MIDDLE LEVELS SOLD

Brisk bidding was seen at the China Auction Rooms yesterday, when valuable leasehold property situated at Bonham and Pokfulam Roads—localities much fancied by Chinese investors—was put up for auction.

The sale related to Sections E, F, D, and R, part of Inland Lot No. 753, together with the European-style buildings thereon, known as Nos. 78 and 75 Bonham Road, and 64 and 66 Pokfulam Road.

The sale was in one lot of all four sites and houses, and was subject to two indentures of mortgage and to two indentures of further charge between the first and second mortgagees. The sale was ordered by the second mortgagee.

The purchaser at this sale "of equity of redemption" was required to pay \$112,800 covering these mortgages and attendant interest, in addition to what he offered at the auction.

Bidding, which started at \$20,000, was confined to three members of the large crowd present. At \$49,200 the property was knocked down to Mr. Ng Keng.

A sum of \$152,000 therefore represents the total at which the property changed hands.

Mr. E.V.M.R. de Sousa was the auctioneer.

BRITISH COMMENT.

TROUBLE FROM CANTONESE EXPECTED

London, May 26.

The occupation of Peking would have been a very embarrassing success for the Japanese, but the trace may well have saved the Chinese Central Government from complete disaster, says *The Times*, commenting on the latest development. It considers the demand for the abandonment of the anti-Japanese boycott in the Peking region as likely to encounter more serious opposition than military conditions.

"The Chinese authorities in the North cannot be expected to kill the boycott, but they need not necessarily 'strive officiously'—or officially for that matter—to 'keep alive' agitation which otherwise will perpetuate the friction."

The paper anticipates that the Cantonese, whose idea of their military prowess is exaggerated, are almost certain to give trouble in China even if the Cantonese declare the threatened independence of the Central Government be little worse off.

The *Times* looks hopefully to Chiang Kai-shek, with the co-operation of his ablest colleagues, to carry out his policy of securing a divided control by Nanking. "This is a realistic policy and its success is essential to Chinese unity," concludes *The Times*.—Reuter.

COTTON & WHEAT

LATEST NEW YORK QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat exchange for yesterday.

Cotton.			
	Opening Range	Closing Range	Unit.
May	8.55-8.58	8.92-8.93	100
October	8.82-8.84	9.15-9.18	100
December	9.00-9.02	9.31-9.32	100
January	9.07-9.07	9.37-9.38	100
March	9.23-9.24	9.55-9.55	100
Spot		9.00	

Wheat.			
	Chicago	Winnipeg	Unit.
May	70 1/2	62 1/2	100
July	72 1/2	63 1/2	100
September	73 1/2	64 1/2	100
October		65 1/2	100

115,000,000 SHEEP IN AUSTRALIA

INCREASE OF FIVE MILLIONS

Melbourne. There are now 115,000,000 sheep in Australia according to conservative estimates by pastoral authorities. This is an increase of 5,000,000 over the previous year.

In 1860 Australia possessed only 20,000,000 sheep.—Reuter.

DOUBLE TRACK LINE.

PROPOSED FOR SHANGHAI TO NANKING RAILWAY

Nanking, May 26. The Ministry of Railways will double-track the Shanghai-Nanking Railway as soon as possible for a short distance at both ends of the line.

The original proposal to double-track the entire line is held to be beyond the present traffic requirements and was dropped because of the heavy outlay.—Reuter.

RADIO BROADCAST

PROGRAMME FOR THE WEEK-END

From Z. B. W. on wave length of 355 metres (84.5 k/c.).
4.47 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.
7-11.30 p.m. European programme.

7-7.18 p.m. Capriccio Italian (Tschalkowsky). Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra. 6949/6950.

7.18-7.59 p.m. A Concert. "Cello Solo—Benedict (Debussy). Cello Solo—Gavotte Tendre (Hillemacher)."

Pablo Casals. 1191. Song—Clair de Lune (Vortlain-Saulo).

Song—Beau Soir (Bourget-Debussy). Mary Garden (Soprano). 1489. Piano Solo—Capriccio (Brahms). Piano Solo—Album Leaf (Grieg). Harold Bauer. 1413.

Song—Thy Beaming Eyes (Gardner-MacDowell).

Song—Oh, That We Two Were Maying (Kingsley-Nevin). Lawrence Tibbett (Baritone). 1172. Violin Solo—Dance of the Maidens (Friml-Kreisler). Violin Solo—Blue Skies (Berlin-Kreisler).

Fritz Kreisler. 1233. 7.50-8.40 p.m. Musical Comedy. 8 p.m. (Local Time and Weather Report).

Lido Lady. Savoy Orpheans. C1310. Princess Ida. New Light Symphony Orch. C2280. The Gypsy Princess. Do Groot and The Victoria Orchestra. C2274.

Lilac Time. The New Mayfair Orchestra. C1457. Song of the Drum. New Mayfair Orchestra. C2143. 8.40-9.25 p.m. Selections by The Hollywood Bowl Orchestra conducted by Eugene Goossens. M-40.

Carnival Overture (Dvorak). The Fire Dance (de Falla). Fantastic Symphony—March to the Scaffold (4th Movement) (Berlioz). Islamey (Balakirev). The Sleeping Beauty—Ballet Suite (Tschalkowsky).

9.25-11.30 p.m. A Relay of the Revelers Dance Orchestra from the 1st Floor of the Hongkong Hotel, by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast.)

10.30 p.m. Rugby Press News. 11.30 p.m. Close Down.

All records in the above European Programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Blount & Co.

SUNDAY'S PROGRAMME. 10-11 a.m. A relay of the Service from St. Joseph's Church.

I. Holy Mass. Music from Garofalo's Mass in D. Sermon—The First Communion, preached by the Rev. Father MacDonal, S.J. II. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

11-12.15 p.m. A relay of the Service from St. Paul's Church. 12.15 p.m. European recorded programme.

1 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report. 2.30 p.m. Close Down.

4.30-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme. 7-10 p.m. European programme. 8 p.m. (Local Time and Weather Report).

7-8.45 p.m. Band—Peer Gynt Suite (Grieg). Reg. Band of H. M. Grenadier Guards. 9884/6.

Song—Joy Cometh in the Morning (arr. Lorenz). Song—God Will Take Care of You (Martin). Lucy M. Van de Mark (Sop.). 9230. Octet—Largo in G (Handel, arr. Sear).

Octet—Rondo Capriccioso. (Mendelssohn, arr. Sulzer). J. H. Squire Coleata Octet. 9170. Orchestral—Till's Merry Pranks (R. Strauss). Orchestra of the Brussels Royal Conservatoire. 9876/8. Organ Solo—At the Temple Gates (Sellers). Catty Sellers. DB392.

Song—Rigoletto—Pari Siamo (Verdi). Song—Rigoletto—Cortisiani, VII. Razzia Danzotta (Verdi). Riccardo Stracciari (Baritone). L2180.

Violin Solo—Gazotte, from Partita in E Major (Bach-Kreisler). Violin Solo—Gazotte, from Partita (Chopin, arr. Sarasate). William Primrose. 9253. Orchestral—Three Fanciful Etchings (Kotelbey). Albert W. Kotelbey's Concert Orchestra conducted by the Composer. 8408/7.

Violin Solo—Legende (Wieniawski). Chorus—Plato's Song (Old Cossack Song). Chorus—We Praise Thee, O Lord (Tschalkowsky).

The Don Cossack Choir. 9180. 8.45-9.30 p.m. From the Studio. Selections by the Melodian's Trio. P. R. Antonio (Violinist), V. Q. Ariston (Pianist) and M. O. Carlson (Pianist).

9.30-10 p.m. Dance Tunes. Fox Trot—When You're Smiling. Fox Trot—After You've Gone. 2727-D.

Waltz—Little Sweetheart of the Prairie. Fox Trot—You Didn't Have to Tell Me. CB305.

Fox Trot—Let's Have a Party. Fox Trot—The Old Man of the Mountain. 2704-D.

Fox Trot—I Can't Believe It's True. Fox Trot—You've Got me in the Palm of Your Hand. 8095-D.

Waltz—The Missouri Waltz. 8067. 10 p.m. Close Down.

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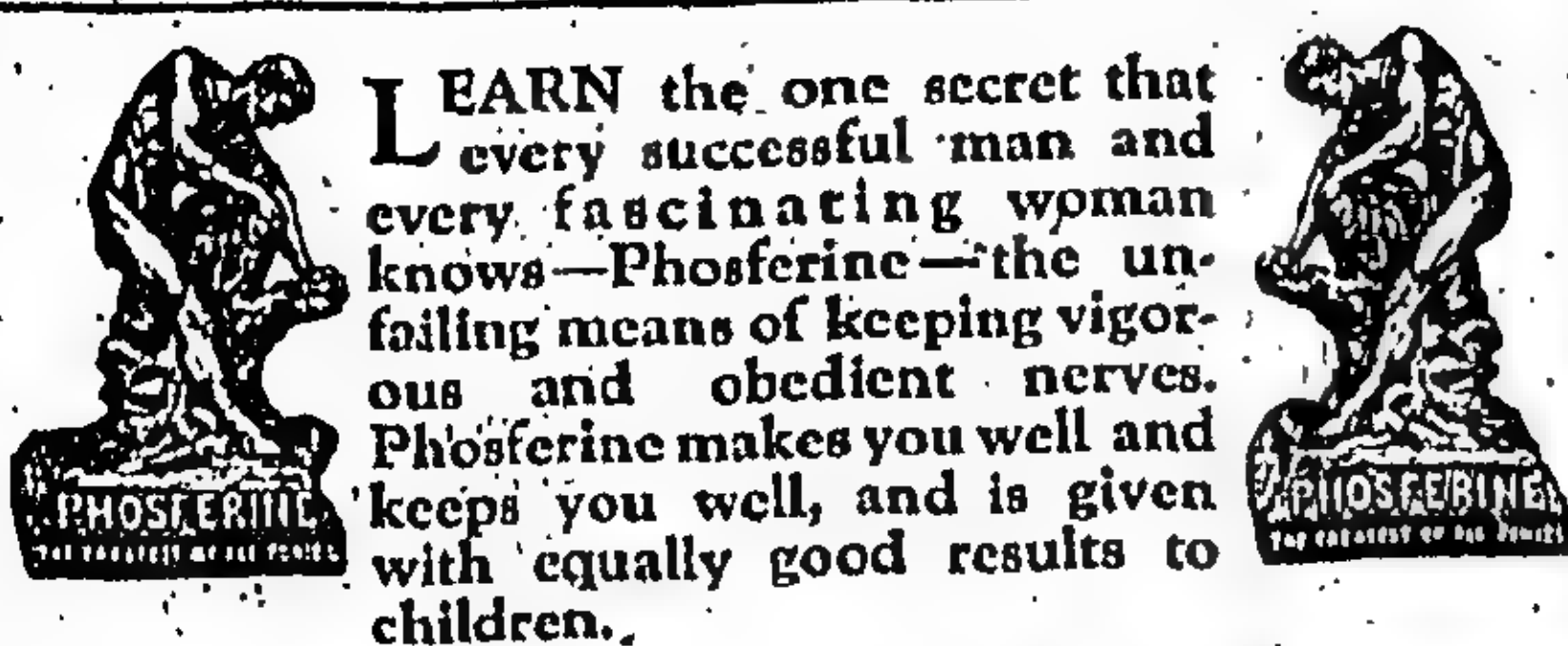
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- 1.—The Competition is confined exclusively to amateur photographers.
- 2.—The Prizes will be awarded to the competitors sending in what are adjudged to be the best photographs in each Section, and which reach this Office not later than 31st August, 1933. The decision of the Judges shall be final.
- 3.—The right to publish any or all of the entries in the *Telegraph* is reserved.
- 4.—Photographs which have been already entered in local competitions are ineligible.
- 5.—At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at this Office within seven days.
- 6.—No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery, loss or damage.
- 7.—Photographs which must not be less than 2½" x 3½" (excepting in the Children's Section) should be printed in black and white, with the name of the competitor in ink on the back.
- 8.—No correspondence will be entered into in connexion with the Competition.
- 9.—Entries in the Children's Section must bear the name, age and address on the back in ink, countersigned by a parent.
- 10.—Members of the Staff are not permitted to compete.

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BRITISH C-IN-C. VISITS JAPANESE ADMIRAL



Upon the arrival in Shanghai, of Admiral Sir Frederick Dreyer, Commander-in-Chief of the British Naval Forces in China, upon H.M.S. Kent, a number of official calls were made by representatives of other foreign naval forces in port. Among those who officially visited H.M.S. Kent was Vice-Admiral M. Yonal, commanding the Japanese Third Fleet. Admiral Dreyer returned the call aboard H. I. M. S. Idunome, flagship of Vice-Admiral Yonal. Photo shows the British C-in-C. inspecting the guard of honour.

ST. GEORGE AND THE DRAGON

UP-TO-DATE VERSION BY MR. CHURCHILL

If St. George had lived in 1933, how would he have gone to the rescue of the maiden menaced by the Dragon?

Mr. Winston Churchill put forward the following modern version of the legend, to the amusement of his fellow diners at the annual banquet of the Royal Society of St. George at the Connaught Rooms:

"St. George would arrive in Cappadocia, accompanied, not by a horse, but by a secretariat. He would be armed, not with a lance, but with several flexible formulas. He would, of course, be welcomed by the local branch of the League of Nations Union.

"He would propose a conference with the dragon—a round table conference, no doubt—that would be more convenient for the dragon's tail.

"He would make a trade agreement with the dragon. He would lend the dragon a lot of money of the Cappadocian tax-payers. The maiden's release would be referred to Geneva, the dragon reserving all his rights meanwhile.

"Finally, St. George would be photographed with the dragon. Inset—the maiden."

Mr. Churchill, who for long has been crying in vain for an opportunity to broadcast his views on India, had his chance last night. His speech was broadcast and there was no B.B.C. censorship.

But he contented himself with drawing a picture of Sir John Reith, "perspiration mantling his lofty brow," standing ready to switch off the power if he (Mr. Churchill) became irreverent regarding Mr. Gandhi, Russia or "even about our peripatetic Prime Minister."

Red and white roses were handed to the guests when they assembled for the banquet. The guests walked to their seats in a be-flagged hall to a roll of the drum and between a guard of honour composed of "soldiers" in

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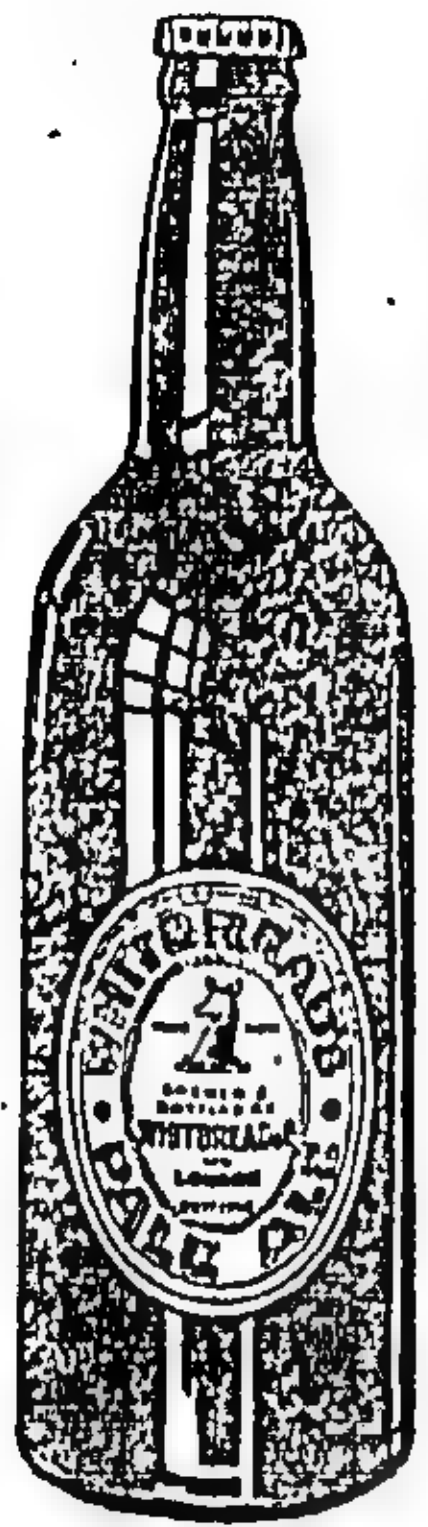
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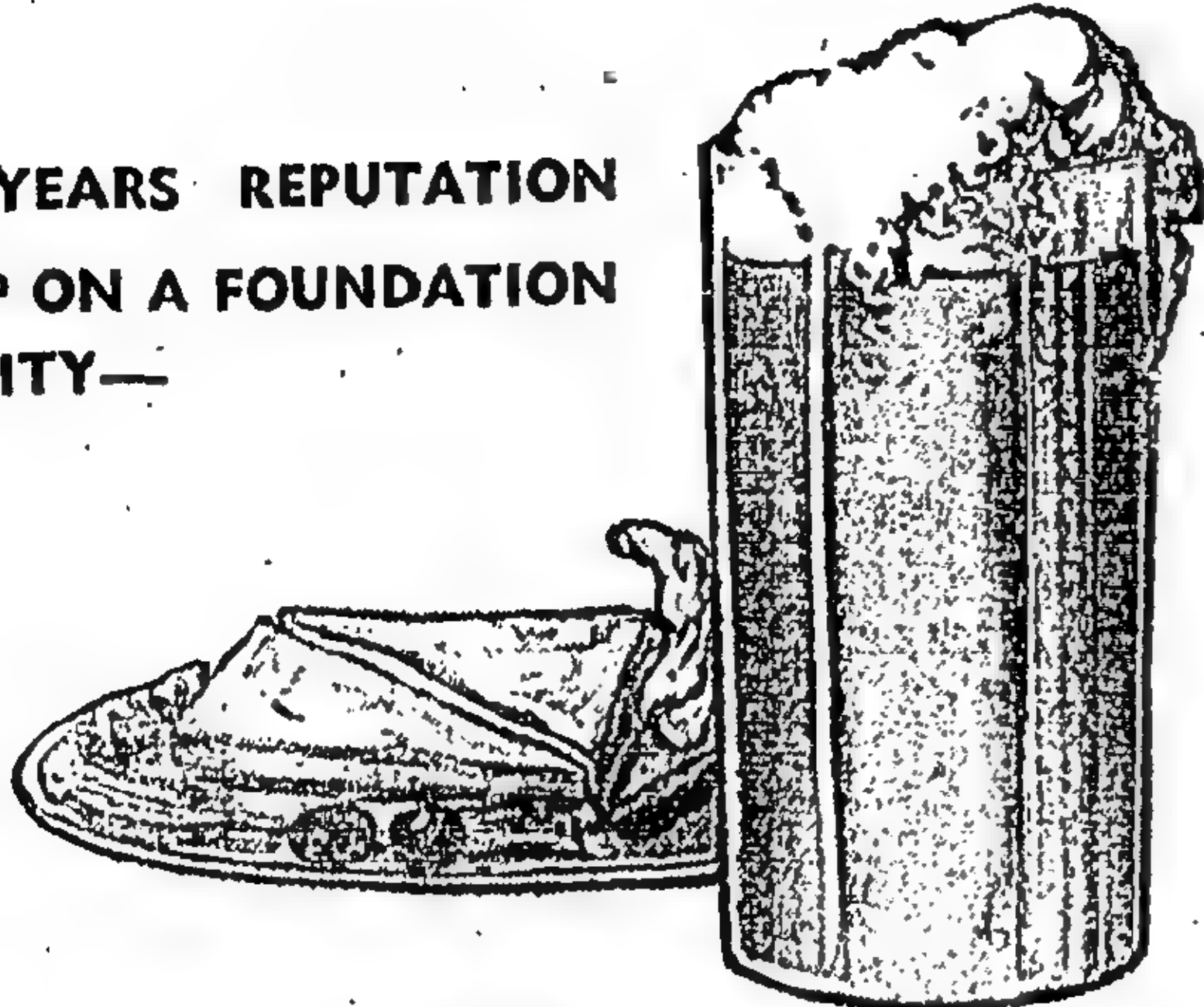
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Berlin, April 24.

Further details are given of the decision to dissolve the bonds between the Hamburg-Amerika and the North German Lloyd. The profits of the two great shipping companies are no longer to be pooled, but uneconomic competition is to be avoided by a quota system. It is proposed that for every passenger above a certain percentage carried by either company a fine should be paid into a common fund.

Provision will be made for decentralisation and increased individual responsibility in the management of the smaller shipping companies, such as the Hamburg South, the German East Africa, the German Levant, and other lines at present controlled by the two big companies. In some cases this might be followed by the transfer of shares to other hands.

It is emphasised that the re-organisation of the shipping lines and further action to assist them is to be the work of the Reich, and that they are to be relieved from pressure from or dependence upon bankers and financiers. This is highly typical of the Nazi outlook.

Subsidies

The new Nazi Burgomaster of Hamburg, has sent a memorandum to the Chancellor on the assistance required by German shipping, and a similar memorandum has been sent by the North German Lloyd, whose headquarters is at Bremen.

The Hamburg memorandum recommends the payment of a premium by the Government for the earnings in foreign currency the premium to be so scaled as to provide a subsidy to assist competition against foreign shipping lines which enjoy advantages from a depreciated currency, e.g., the British lines.

In return for this assistance and for relief from all taxes and social burdens which cannot be paid out of earnings, the Hamburg Burgomaster suggests the surrender of all property in foreign currency held by the shipping companies, in exchange, of course, for marks.

Should these proposals be accepted, British shipping will have to face intensified competition.

The Government will probably try to realise their policy of breaking up big industrial units in the tobacco industry, where many of the big firms are in the hands of the Jews.

The Socialism of the Nazi Party would appear to tend toward a general State control of competition between smaller companies, rather than the nationalisation of big industries or permitting new big industrial units to be formed.



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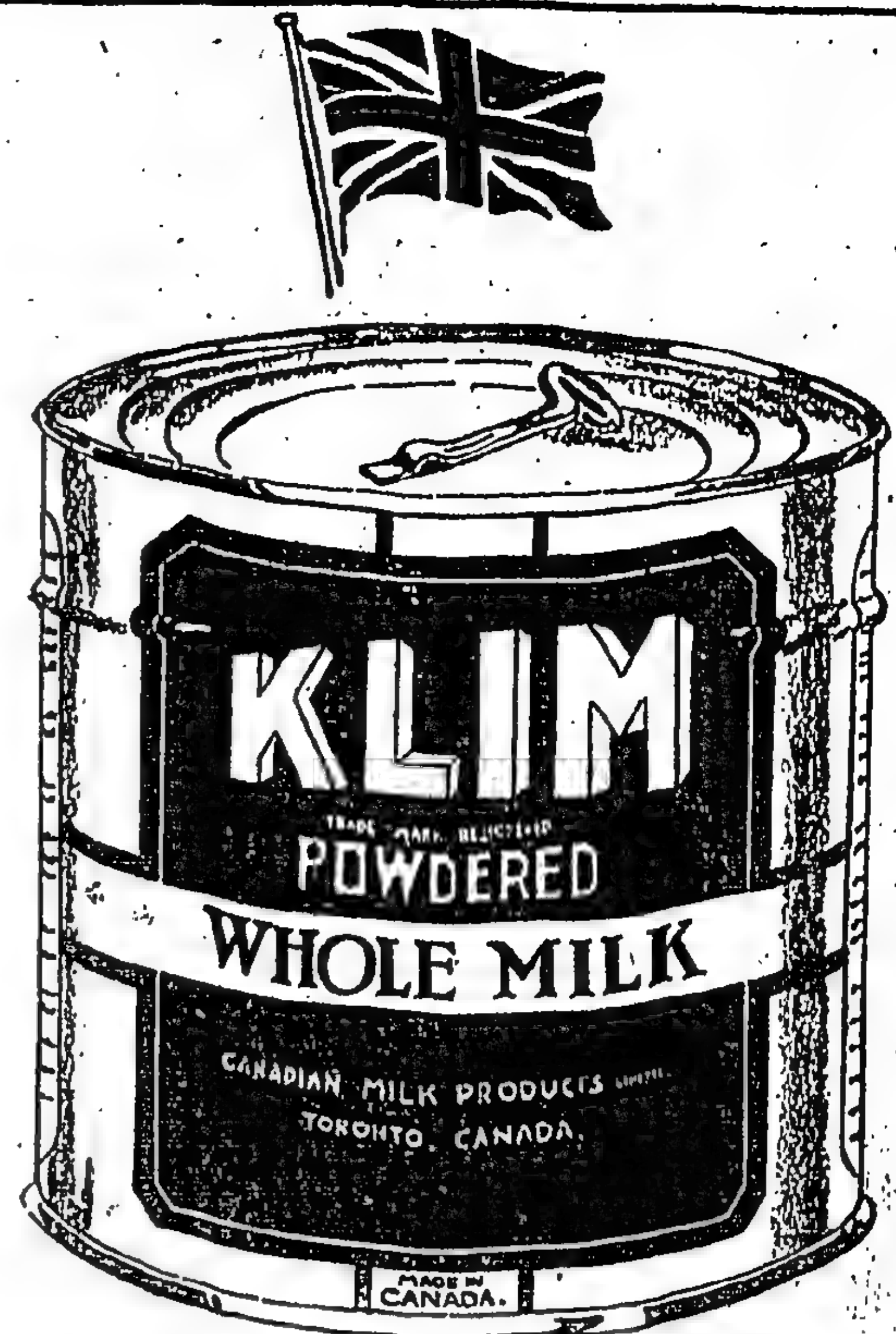
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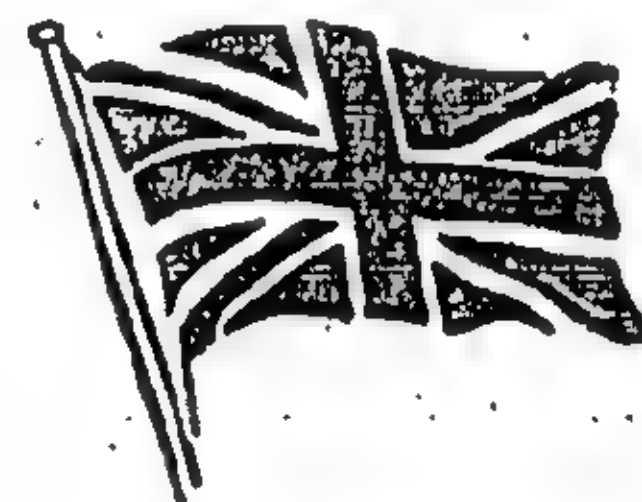
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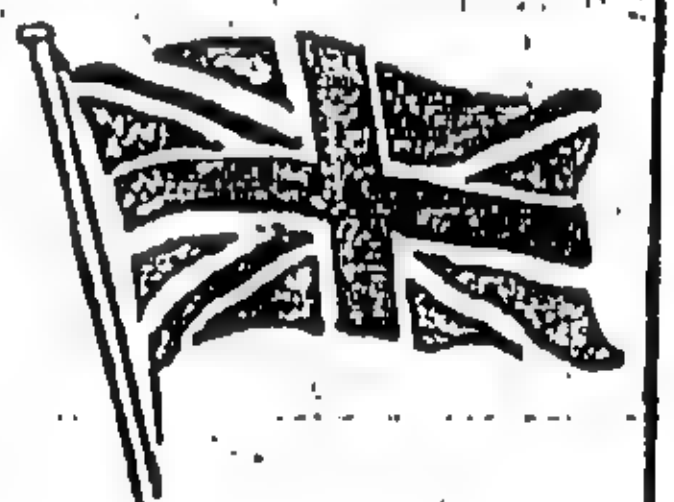
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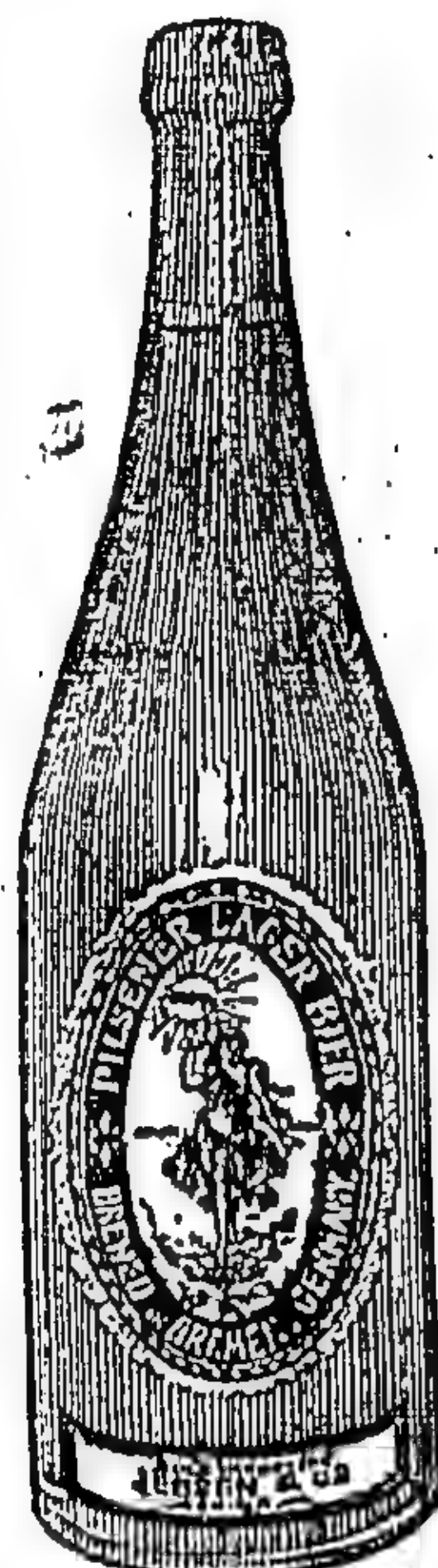
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VICTORY

London, May 26.
Yorkshire, by virtue of their
defeat of Glamorgan, retain
their 100 per cent county cricket
championship record and re-
main at the head of the table.

The champ-
ions displayed
something of
their charac-
teristic quali-
ties when, after
obtaining but a
comparatively
slender first
innings lead of
90, they went
in again to
rattle up 236
for three wick-
ets declared
and dismissed
Glamorgan for
a paltry 161.

Bowes did the damage in the
Welshmen's return visit to the
wicket, taking 6 for 82.

Kent, who have so far failed to
redeem their promise, suf-
fered another reverse when Lan-
cashire trounced them by eight
wickets.

The Hop county were com-
pletely outplayed, being 99 runs in
arrears on the first innings and
putting up a poor showing in the
second being sent back for 172.

DASHING WARWICK BATSMEN.
Worcester had a rather dis-
heartening experience. Holding
their own against Warwick in the

HONOURS LIST.

BATTING.
Carr (Notts) v Cambridge 123
Gibbons (Worcester) v Warwick 122
Barber (Yorkshire) v Glamorgan 120
Crook (Warwick) v Worcester 115
Jehangir Khan (Cambridge) v
Notts 112
Mitchell (Yorkshire) v Glamorgan 108
Kilner (Warwick) v Worcester 102
*denotes not out.

BOWLING.
Staples, S. (Notts) v Cam-
bridge 8 for 72
Martindale (W. Indies) v
Hants 6 for 61
Clay (Glamorgan) v York-
shire 6 for 72
Bowes (Yorkshire) v Glamorgan 6 for 82
Brewer (Warwick) v Wor-
cester 5 for 75

first innings, they batted a second
time with perfect freedom and
apparently made the game safe
after scoring 280 for 6 wickets.
The innings was closed at this
score, but Warwick, attacking
their task with relish, smote the

Cambridge
Boat
Race CrewMAY COMPETE
AT LONG BEACH

Long Beach, Calif.
The Italian Olympic eight,
Cambridge, Navy, Yale, Cornell,
Washington, California and Uni-
versity of California at Los
Angeles crews have been invited
to compete in an international
regatta here on July 8 over the
tenth Olympic course.

Such a regatta has been con-
sidered since plans to stage the
national intercollegiate champion-
ship over the 2,000 metre course
failed to attract sufficient interest
among eastern institutions.

It is understood that Italy is
more than passively interested in
having its international games
crew make a second appearance in
the United States. It lost by a
narrow margin to California in
the finals of the eight-oared class
on the Olympic course here last
summer.

Expenses for the visiting crews
would be underwritten, those
sponsoring the idea, said. More
than fifty thousand persons wit-
nessed the finals of the Olympic
games races and the marine stad-
ium could accommodate even more
than this.

RESULTS AT A GLANCE

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.

Warwick (250 and 280-6) beat Worcester (234
and 259-8) by four wickets.
Yorkshire (299 and 236 for 3) beat Glamorgan
(208 and 161) by 166 runs
Lancashire (375 and 74-2) beat Kent (276 and
172) by eight wickets

OTHER MATCHES.

Notts (291 and 109-2) beat Cambridge (220
and 179) by eight wickets
West Indies (227 and 232-4) beat Hampshire
(306 and 141) by six wickets.

bowling to all parts of the
field and obtained the requir-
ed 295 runs with four wickets
in hand.

Crook and Kilner were the
heroes, each taking a century
from the ineffective Worcester
bowlers.

The West Indies continued
in winning vein when they
beat Hampshire with ease. The
county team actually secured a
lead of 79 runs on the first
innings, but collapsed before
Martindale in their return to the
crease, and the visitors hit off the
required 232 for the loss of four
batmen.

Martindale claimed six victims
at a cost of a fraction of 10 runs
apiece.

CARR'S FIRST CENTURY.
A. W. Carr scored his first
century of the season when Notts
beat Cambridge, and Sam Staples
came along to complete the Cantab
debacle by capturing 8 wickets for
72 runs in an inspired period of
bowling.

Jehangir Khan was the only
Varsity batsman to face the
county attack with any confidence
and he scored a fine century, this
being his second of the season.

GERMAN
AUTO CLASSIC

WON BY ITALIAN

BEATS FRENCH-
MAN BY 20 YARDS

Berlin, May 21.
Averaging the almost incredible
speed of 207 kilometers an hour,
the Italian, Varzi, driving a
specially built French Bugatti car,
won the international automobile
race of the German Auto Associa-
tion, which was run this afternoon
on Berlin's famous speedway
Avenue over a distance of 204 kilo-
meters.

Count Czaykowski, France, also
driving a Bugatti, came in second
scarcely 20 yards behind the vic-
tor, having led the field for eight
and a half out of ten laps, only to
be passed by Varzi in the pen-
ultimate round after a nerve-
racking duel which kept the 250-
000 spectators spellbound.

ITALIANS 3RD. 4TH.
The noted Italian Alfa-Romeo
team, Nuvolari and Borzacchini,
who between them divided honours
in the majority of the auto-races
run this and last year, had to be
content with third and fourth
places respectively, crossing the
tape about 10 kilometers behind the
two leaders. Their Alfa-
Romeo cars this time proved not
quite a match for the Bugatti cars.

The only German competitor,
Herr von Brauchitsch, winner of
the same race last year, had a bad
start, but was rapidly gaining
ground. In his stream-lined
Mercedes, when tyre-trouble spoiled
his chances. Only seven out
of 12 competitors completed the
course.

The race for light cars over a
distance of 196 kilometers was
also won by a Bugatti team.
Veyron being first and his team-
mate, Burggaller, taking the
second place. The Earl of Howe,
who had won this race in 1932,
took third place, five kilometers
behind the leaders.

GARRISON TENNIS.

R.A.O.C. Win From A
Borderers Team.

In the Garrison League yesterday
the R. A. O. C. beat "C" Company,
South Wales Borderers, by six sets
to three. Scores:

Lieut. Yates and Lieut. Davies ("C")
Company, South Wales Borderers,
beat Lieut. Col. MacPherson and S/S
Gould 7-5; lost to S/S Taylor and
S/S Clarke 3-6; lost to S/S Shave
and S/S Routledge 4-6.

C. S. M. Horne and Pte. Johns
("C") Company, South Wales Bor-
derers, lost to MacPherson and
Gould 2-6; beat Taylor and Clarke
6-2; lost to Shave and Routledge
6-8.

Cpl. Taylor and Pte. Thomas ("C")
Company South Wales Borderers
beat MacPherson and Gould 7-5; lost
to Taylor and Clarke 1-6; lost to
Shave and Routledge 4-6.

ITALY SEEKS SOCCER
HONOURS.

Rome, May 14.
A series of victories in
international matches this
year has given Italy a feel-
ing of confidence in her
ability to win the world
soccer cup, now held by
Uruguay.

The South American
country's failure to sign up
for the championship
matches to be played here
next year means she will
have to surrender the cup to
the International Associa-
tion Football Federation at
Zurich before May 1.

Shanghai
Cricket
SeasonSTART MADE
LAST SUNDAY

Shanghai cricketers enjoyed the
first inter-club match of the sea-
son last Sunday when those two
ancient rivals, the Cricket Club
and the Rees met in a friendly
tussle that resulted in a win for
the former by 72 runs. The win-
ners batted first and declared at
207 for 8 wickets, and the losers
were put in only to be accounted
for after they had scored a total
of 135. The ground was still
fairly sticky after the heavy rains
towards the end of the week, but
it proved surprisingly good con-
sidering the soaking it had re-
ceived.

Stokes played an excellent
game and knocked up 84 runs in
as many minutes, his forceful
hitting bringing about more in-
terest to the match. P. V. Simp-
son scored 40 runs in a good stand
with the former and both Barson
and Leach were fairly successful,
while R.S. Elliott added a useful
16 through bright hitting. The
partnership between S. R. Ker-
mani and Cash gave promise of
better things, the former knock-
ing up 21 and the latter 34 before
they were separated. The final
few batsmen were likewise fairly
successful and despite their open
play, nearly brought off a draw.

G. E. Ollerodsen was the most
successful bowler for the Rees
taking 3 for 40 while "Sam" Isaacs
accounted for 2 for 30. D. W.
Leach took 4 for 19 for the win-
ners, while Mansel-Smith account-
ed for 2 for 19 and Wales 2 for 23.
The Cricket Club bowlers were
very consistent and the losers
were given little scope, whereas
the Rees' trundlers were not so
successful and Stokes in particular
made short work of their bowling,
knocking up 11 fours and a six.

Long Beach Turns to Sports
for Consolation

Long Beach, Calif.
In a vigorous pursuit of sports,
this centre of California's most
devastating earthquake in recent
years, proposes to find forgetful-
ness of its sorrows.

High school and junior college
track and baseball activities will
go ahead with the Long Beach
Poly high school tracksters, state
champions, continuing in the prepa-
ration for the defence of their
title.

Walter L. Scott, director of
municipal and school recreation
has made plans for a large intra-
mural citywide athletic pro-
gramme. He expects all track and
baseball schedules to be resumed
with only slight delay.

All the teams will train at
Stephens Field and Recreation
park, since the senior high school
gymsnasiums collapsed with the
first tremor.

In keeping with the municipal
rehabilitation programme, the city



G. M. Lott.

THE DAVIS
CUPU.S. IN INTER
ZONE FINALWILL PROBABLY
MEET BRITAIN

Washington, May 26.
America have qualified for
the Inter-Zone final of the
Davis Cup competition, and if
Britain lives up to expectations,
the two countries should meet
to decide who shall challenge
France at the Stade Roland
Garros.

George Lott and Van Ryn clinch-
ed the issue to-day in the Amer-
ican Zone final against the Argen-
tine, when they defeated Adhel-
mane and Cheverria with the sim-
plest ease.

\$10,000 REALIZED BY
CHARITY SOCCER

The Hon. General Secre-
tary of the China National
Amateur Athletic Federa-
tion and the President of
the Shanghai Football Asso-
ciation have issued a joint
statement to the effect that
the two Charity soccer
matches which were played
recently (one at the Cani-
drome; the other at the
Pioneer Field) will result
in approximately \$10,000
being available for distribu-
tion.

The Argentine pair were help-
less against the former Wimbledon
champions and could only take six
games in three sets.

The Americans dominated the
court from the net and were al-
together much too fast for their
opponents. Lott and Van Ryn
won by scores of 6-1, 6-4, 6-1.

So far America has not lost a
single rubber in the present Davis
Cup series. In the first round
they beat Mexico 5-0 and treated
Canada likewise in the North
American zone final. At the moment
they won three of five matches
against the Argentine.—Reuter.

DAVIS

BRITAIN DEFEATS SPAIN

SPECIAL DESCRIPTION OF
IMPORTANT TIE

DEADLY DRIVING BY PERRY

A detailed description of Britain's victory over Spain in the
first round of the Davis Cup is contained in the latest issue of
Lawn Tennis and Badminton, and is given below.

THE FIRST DAY'S PLAY.

The start of the first day's play
was delayed half an hour (cable
Router) owing to heavy rainfall
during the night. It seemed that
the English colony had turned up
to the last man and woman to sup-
port the British players. The
court was rather slow and soft,
and Perry wore rope soles. He
won the toss and by well timed ad-
vances to the net, following some
brilliant service returns, led at 2-1
and 4-1. Moler now increased the
speed of his drives, and, hitting
with greater confidence, put Perry
on the defensive. He won four of
the next five games to level the
score at 6-all. Perry, however,
serving splendidly, took the
critical eleventh game, and went
out on Moler's service at 7-5.

The second set provided another
close struggle. Perry's return of
service were very effective, and he
won the third game with a great
service ace, but strong driving by
Moler in the next game forced him
to not some returns. Moler in the
sixth game went to 40-15, serving
finely, but Perry recovered to 3-all
by penetrating drives. Off can-
non-ball services, Perry's returns
were magnificent, but he lost the
eighth game, his drives catching the
top of the net. Fine serving gave
the Spaniard the tenth game, but
Perry made another counter-
attack, serving aces on occasion,
and gaining other points by
spectacular dashes to the net and
volleying. He concentrated on
Moler's back-hand wing, and, re-
taining the initiative, broke
through his opponent's service and
won the second set at 7-5.

PERRY CONFIDENT.

In the third set Perry was con-
fident, whereas Moler looked over-
anxious. The Englishman won
the first three games and the set
led to 4-2; and won the seventh
game after being 15-40 behind on
his own service. Perry's long
driving was deadly in the last
game, and once more he broke
through Moler's service to win the
set at 6-2.

H. W. Austin opened with a love
game against Sindreu. He was
sending over a stream of drives
that went unerringly to their
mark. Sindreu was caught on the
wrong foot and was forced into
many errors. Here and there the
Spaniard scored with a neat drop
shot which was heavily chopped,
but Austin concentrated on to his
opponent's back-hand wing and
kept him on the defensive nearly
all the time to win a love set.

In the second set Austin excel-
led at the net. He followed up
deep drives and placed his volleys
with great accuracy. Sindreu
improved, and with deft place-
ments won the fourth and fifth
games. He also won the eighth
game, reducing Austin's lead to
6-3, but fine serving gave Austin
the set at 6-3. In the final set
Austin smashed powerfully and
won the first two games. Sindreu
was not in his class, and the
Englishman won the set at 6-2.

THE DOUBLES MATCH.

For the first two sets Moler and
Dural had matters much their
own way, keeping the British pair
on the defensive by attacking play.
Hughes struck one or two spells of
lobbing short, and on occasion he
netted a number of simple-looking
returns. With their backs to the
wall Perry and Hughes made a
determined stand in the third set.
Both showed renewed keenness to
capture the net position, and fine
smashing of the high lobs gave
them the first game. On Moler's
service which followed Perry
brought off some spectacular in-
terceptions, and the British pair
broke through the service game.
They served well to take the third
game in succession. Hughes was
then seen in brilliant form at the
net, and 5-0 was called. Moler won
his service in the sixth game before
the British side got out at 6-1.
Hughes ran high among the English
spectators when Perry and Hughes
followed up this success by winning
the fourth set at 6-4.

The British players had a won-
derful chance of clinching the match
in the fifth set. They broke
through Dural's service game to
lead 2-1, and, serving finely, Perry
made the score 3-1. Moler's serv-
ing dominated the next game and
Hughes, serving, lost the sixth
game for 3-all. Spain then took a

sequence of three games for the
match.

THE THIRD DAY.

Perry was never extended in
beating Sindreu 6-1 6-3 6-0. He
reached 5-0 in the first set and in
the second went to 3-0. Sindreu
was seen at his best in winning the
next two games; but Perry renew-
ed the attack, and fine-length driv-
ing and spectacular volleying
brought him to 5-2. Once more
Sindreu rallied. He scored with
some deep drives and reached 5-5.
That was his last success, for
Perry reeled off a sequence of seven
games to clinch the match with a
love set.

Austin gave a great display in
beating Moler 8-6 7-5 6-1. In the
opening games service was broken
through by both players, and
Moler got a lead of 3-1. From then
Austin drove magnificently. He
produced winners across the court,
and attacked his opponent's left
wing. At the crucial stage of the
first set the Englishman advanced
confidently to the net and scored
with some shrewd volleying. In
the second set there was again a
great fight for the lead. Five-all
was called and then Austin won his
opponent's high-kicking service for
the second set at 7-5. Moler had
then shot his bolt. Austin went
from strength to strength, scoring
with beautiful passing shots down
the line. His supremacy was clearly
established in the third set.

E. J. Perry (Great Britain) bt
E. Moler 8-6 7-5 6-2; bt F. Sindreu
6-1 6-3 6-0.

H. W. Austin (Great Britain)
bt Moler 8-6 7-5 6-1; bt Sindreu
6-0 6-3 6-2.

Perry and G. P. Hughes (Great
Britain) lost to Moler and A.
Dural 3-5 1-6 6-1 6-4 3-6.

AT
THE
VALLEY
RACE SELECTIONS
FOR TO-DAY

(By "Ringtail")

My final selections for to-day's
extra race meeting at the Happy
Valley are:

1st Race.

Bag & Baggage
Sadko
King's Justice

2nd Race.

Alexandra Hall
Royal Flush
Solar Star

3rd Race.

Woodland Stag
The Giraffe
Friar Tuck

4th Race.

Vigilance
National Day
De Minimis

5th Race.

Amoy
Partnership
Valley Hall

6th Race.

Skowbald Griffin
The Quail
Bay of Calamity

7th Race.

Melody
No Fear
Now's The Time

8th Race.

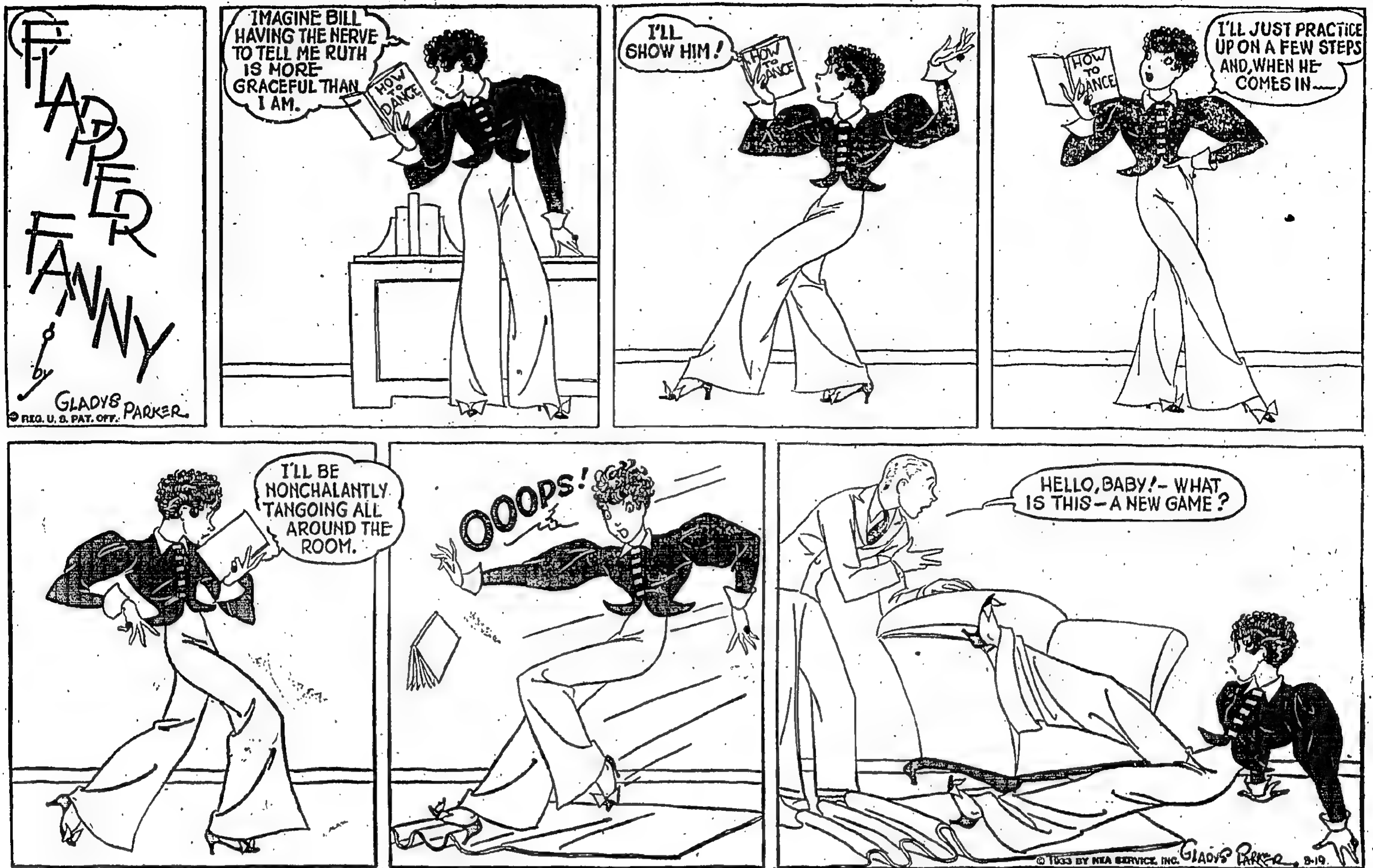
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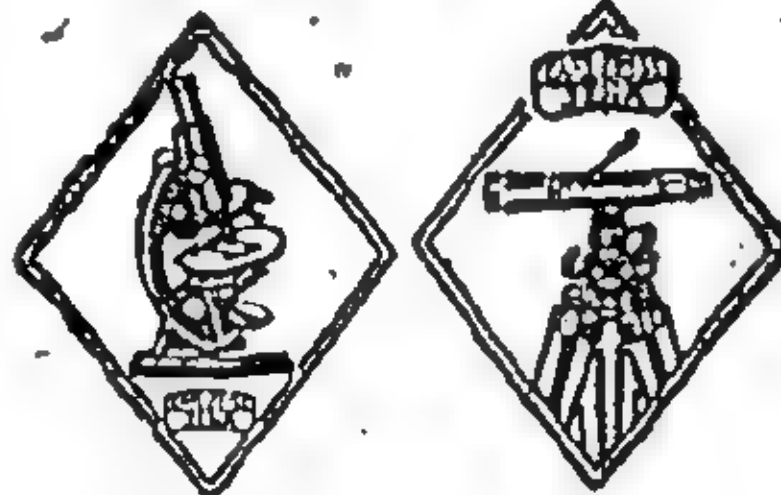
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THE ALPS GIVE UP THEIR DEAD

Geneva, Apr. 26. The mystery of the disappearance of thirteen Italian smugglers in the Swiss Alps last January has been solved by the annual melting of the snow in the higher altitudes. Yesterday evening the bodies of six of the men were discovered beneath thirty feet of rock and ice.

The smugglers were attempting to carry sugar and coffee across the frontier in the depths of winter and were crossing a pass 7,500 feet high above Locarno, when they were swept away in the path of an avalanche. The spot at which the bodies were discovered was over 3,000 feet below that at which the accident took place.

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LONDON AND ITS SLUMS

L.C.C. TO TACKLE THE PROBLEM

Questions regarding slum clearance in London were asked at a special meeting of the L.C.C. called by the chairman, Mr. E. M. Dence, on a requisition by twenty members of the Opposition.

Mr. H. R. Selley, Chairman of the Housing Committee, in answer to Mr. Herbert Morrison, stated that while he could not form an estimate of the number of slum areas in London, the problem was an extensive and difficult one.

It would engage the close attention of the Housing Committee and the Council for some years.

In December, 1930, Mr. Selley added, the Council approved a provisional programme for dealing with clearance areas covering about 98 acres and dealing with a population of 30,500. That programme would be reviewed by the Housing Committee in connexion with their consideration of the recent circular of the Ministry of Health. The Committee had been indefatigable in their attention to their duties.

Mr. Herbert Morrison, on behalf of the Labour Party, moved that the Housing Committee be instructed to prepare forthwith a programme of slum clearance schemes in accordance with the recent circular of the Ministry of Health. He urged the Council to take the circular of the Ministry of Health seriously and go forward with slum clearance.

Adequate Programme
Mr. Selley replied that when the time came there would be an adequate programme to enable the Council to fulfil the whole of the needs of London.

Sir William Ray, Leader of the Council, said: "It is obviously the intention of Labour supporters of the motion to talk at large about the iniquity of the members of the Municipal Reform Party. The whole of the debate has been an attempt to score off an opposing party."

He cleared that 50 per cent. of slum dwellers lived in the slums from choice and not from necessity. "Those who are there from necessity," he said, "are there to be near their work, and not from actual lack of funds."

There were cries of dissent from the Labour benches, and Sir William retorted, "I am not afraid to say that. The slum problem is as close to our attention as it is to

TRAGEDY FOLLOWS WILD PARTY

HUSBAND AND WIFE SHOOT THEMSELVES

Paris, Apr. 24.

In a fit of remorse, following a riotous night, a young woman and her husband shot themselves yesterday. In spite of protests by the neighbours they went on dancing and drinking with guests in their flat till about 4 a.m., when the young woman requested her husband to turn the guests out.

Shortly after, overcome as she declares by depression, she took a loaded revolver and shot herself through the breast. Seeing what she had done the husband shot himself dead in the heart, after writing a note to say that he was deeply ashamed of their conduct.

When the wife came to she found her husband's body lying in a cupboard. She had just strength to summon help, and was taken to hospital, where she lies in a serious, but not fatal, condition.

years, and we are quite prepared to deal with it. We shall not be lacking in our attempts to assist a Tory Minister of Health in whatever steps he may take to clear away a grave and difficult problem."

An amendment declaring that a special instruction to the Housing Committee was unnecessary in the circumstances, was carried by 65 votes to 36.

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CINEMA SCREENINGS.

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There is one outstanding screen
actress, who has never permitted
success to go to her head. Ellen
Landi.

She lives with her mother, Countess
Zanardi-Landi, in a comfortable, but
not expensive home overlooking the
Pacific Ocean and keeps much to her-
self, seldom appearing at any public
or private function though she sees
all the best pictures and is a regular
attendee at the theatre.

One of her favourite pastimes is
analysing acting. She likes to sit in
a theatre and watch a performance,
and afterwards decide what element
of the production stirred her, what
made her laugh and what made her
cry. This she calls studying technique,
knowing what it's all about and pro-
ving an instinct to be right.

When making "A Passport To Hell",
Miss Landi found delight in studying
at close range some of the negro
children who furnished atmosphere in
the African act, and was also
interested in the children she
encountered at an orphanage at
which scenes for "Wicked" were
made. Several times since then she
has visited these tots and has done
her share to make them happy.

In "A Passport To Hell," a roman-
tic drama, which is now showing at
the King's Theatre, Miss Landi por-
trays the role of a woman who mar-
ries a young army officer who, follow-
ing the wedding, leaves her alone
in an African village on the edge of
the jungle while he goes on a mission
that takes him far into the interior.
Then into her life comes another man
and for the first time in her life she
finds real love. How destiny works
out her problem forms the basis for
what is said to be one of the most
interesting films to reach the screen
in many months.

Supporting Miss Landi is a cast of
notables that includes Paul L. Lukas,
Alexander Kirkland, Warner Oland,
Donald Crisp and Earle Foxe. The
picture was directed by Frank Lloyd.

"Madame Butterfly"

Every now and then a novel, a
picture, a play comes along that is so
absorbing, so convincing, so tenderly
touching that it becomes immediately
something to be read, or seen, and
enjoyed to the hilt.

This time it's a picture—"Madame
Butterfly," now showing at the Queen's
Theatre. It is the story of Cho-Chu-
San, renowned in song and legend.
Now, modernized, given radiant life
by a brilliant cast, and set against a
glamorous background, the bitter-
sweet love tale of Butterfly and her
Lieutenant Pinkerton takes its place
with the most effective of screen
dramas, and may win for Sylvia
Sidney, its star, one of those best-
performance awards with which Holly-
wood periodically dowers its stars.

"Afraid to Talk"

A dramatic screen answer to many
pertinent questions American citizens
are asking about rule by political

parties is contained in Universal's
timely picture "Afraid to Talk" which
will open at The Central Theatre to-
morrow.

Screen from the powerful drama by
Albert Maltz and George Sklar,
"Merry-Go-Round," it presents a
group of municipal office holders un-
der the dictates of a party boss who
find themselves forced by a clamoring
press and public to gain a conviction
for an underworld murder.

Happening on the eve of an im-
portant election, the party leaders
decide it necessary to act, but are
thwarted when the gangster murder-
er produces evidence which will bare
the graft and bribery of the office
holders. In desperation the party at-
tempts to "railroad" an innocent
bell boy for the crime, and
when public-minded citizens instigate
an investigation, complications devel-
op so rapidly that the film proceeds
toward its powerful climax with one
intensely dramatic crisis after an-
other.

Sidney Fox, Universal's talented
dramatic actress, enacts the featured
feminine lead as the royal wife of the
bell boy who is crucified for political
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"State Fair"

What sort of girl is Sally Eilers?
She is a good cook, and likes to pre-
pare both plain and fancy dishes.
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achievement. She is fond of good
clothes and expert at designing them.
She also likes to sew, although she
leaves the making of her own gowns
to the dressmakers.

She likes golf and gets a thrill out
of playing polo. Roughing it in a moun-
tain camp is one of her chief delights
she isn't afraid to handle the controls
of a speeding airplane, although she
has yet to make her first solo flight.

In "State Fair," tomorrow, Miss Eilers
plays the role of a flashy trapeze
artist who attracts a farm boy into
his first love experience.

Norman Foster plays the role op-
posite her, and Lew Ayres is the star
who makes love to Janet Gaynor.
Other stars of "State Fair" are Will
Rogers, Frank Craven, Louis Dresser
and Victor Jory. Henry King directed
the production, which is based on the
Literary Guild prize novel by Phil
Stong.

"Explorers of the World"

Dr. Laurence M. Gould, who was
second in command to Byrd on his
expedition to Little America, appears
in the film, "Explorers of the World",
now showing at the Central Theatre,
and graphically relates his sensa-
tional part in the famous enterprise.
Dr. Gould, in his most ingratiating
style, relates his daring sledge jour-
ney, in which he and his party laid
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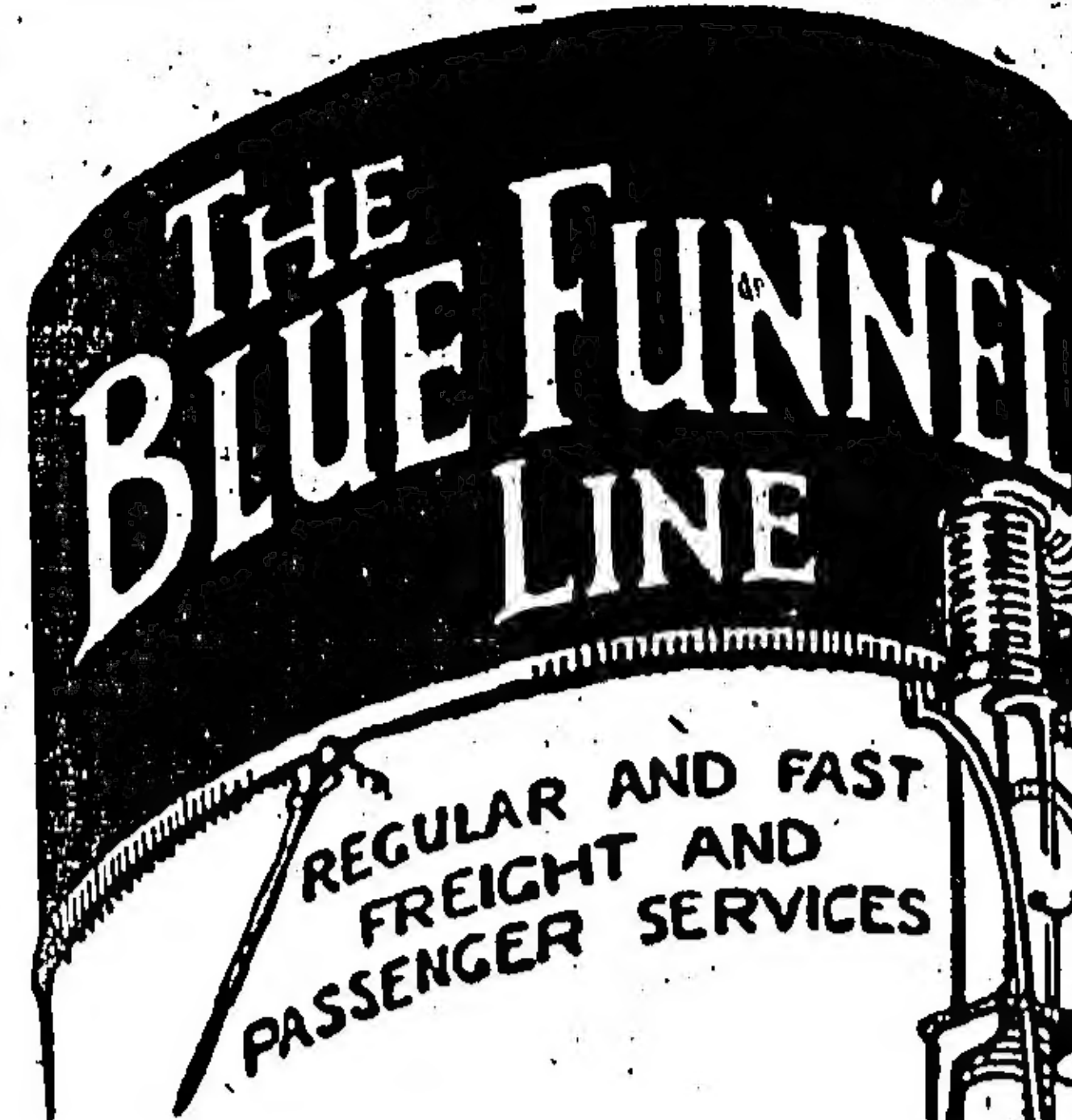
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By W. E. McKenney

One of the biggest mistakes made by many players in the play of the hand is trying for a finesse that may lose. Very often it is the better play to assume that the finesse will lose and play the hand accordingly.

A good example of this play is given in the following hand, which was played by Mr. E. M. Goddard of Deni, N. J., one young player of whom I predict we will hear a great deal in future tournaments.

♠ K-Q	♠ A-K-4
♠ 10-4-3	♠ A-Q-7-5-4
♠ J-9-7	♠ Q-5-4
♠ 5-3-2	♠ A-J-9
♠ 6-3	♠ Q-10
♠ 4-3-2	♠ K-10
	♠ 8-7
	♠ 8-6-5
	♠ 8-6
	♠ J-9-8-2
	♠ A-J-9-6

The Bidding

South, the dealer, passed. West passed and Mr. Goddard in the North made a third hand opening of one diamond. East overcalled with one spade—a negative double should possibly not have been bid since, although the hand has spades, it is a little short in hearts.

South bid two diamonds. Remember that this overcalling of one spade with two diamonds is a constructive bid. Personally I believe that South's hand is possibly a little too light to make a two diamond overall. However, after South's bid, Mr. Goddard in the North jumped to five diamonds.

The Play

East's opening lead was the ace of spades, followed by a small spade, which Mr. Goddard won with the king.

We now find that Mr. Goddard could finesse a club and try for the diamond finesse, but if he does that his contract will fail. Mr. Goddard decided to take it for granted that the diamond finesse fail, and played the ace of diamonds.

He then led a small club, finessing the jack. The eight of spades was returned and trumped by Mr. Goddard with the four of diamonds.

He now led the ace and king of hearts and then the four of hearts. East discarded a spade, and Mr. Goddard trumped in the dummy with the eight of diamonds.

He then led the nine of diamonds, throwing East in the lead with the king, and East was helpless. If he led a club, Mr. Goddard would let it ride to the queen, while if he led a spade, it would be trumped in dummy and the losing club discarded.

WOMAN TERRORIST.

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Calcutta, May 26.

A Bengali woman terrorist Nanihala Das Gupta, has been sentenced to five years rigorous imprisonment for conspiracy to blow up European houses and Government buildings and being in possession of seventy-five sticks of dynamite.—*Reuter Special.*

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SIR JOHN SIMON

London, May 26.

The keen interest aroused in the latest developments of the Disarmament Conference was indicated by the crowded benches and galleries of the House of Commons to-day when Sir John Simon, Foreign Minister, who returned from Geneva by air yesterday, defended the British draft convention, which he declared had been completed.

No time was lost in facing the problem, he said. This had been shown by the fact that the British convention had been the governing feature of the discussion ever since it had been presented.

Italy, France, the United States and latterly Germany had recognised that progress was most likely along the lines of the British convention. He particularly welcomed the American attitude, but he warned the House that it was necessary to convince the nations that the same would contribute to security, if Britain were to persuade the nations to adopt effective disarmament.

He stressed the importance of the statement of Mr. Norman Davis, that America was prepared to modify the law relating to neutrality in wartime in certain circumstances. This signified the abandonment of the attitude of a mere spectator during the struggles of other States, one of which was in the wrong. It signified also the abandonment of a jealously guarded American tradition. There was therefore a prospect of American influence being effectively exerted in the event of conflict in which one side was the aggressor.

Disturbing Signs.

Sir John Simon continued that although real progress was being made at Geneva, there were some extremely disturbing signs. He would in no wise refer to particular declarations, but some recent statements and articles had raised the gravest doubts in the minds of the peace loving peoples of the world. What was so serious was the motive behind those declarations.

He welcomed the statesmanlike and moderate terms of Hitler's speech, but it would be foolish to recognise that words were not the same as deeds, he said.

Sir John attached equal importance to the German withdrawal of the Geneva amendment, which would have shattered the prospects of disarmament.

Sir John Simon declared that Britain had effected immense reductions and was unable to go further without general agreement. Britain had expressed her willingness alongside the United States to join the consultations with a view to promoting security, but Britain was unable to assume additional responsibilities, such as the Locarno Pact.—*Reuter.*

Japan's Demands

New York, May 26.

The New York Times says it is understood that President Roosevelt asked Viscount Ishii to explain frankly and in detail the Japanese attitude upon abolition of offensive armaments, definition of "aggressor," and the reported Japanese objections to the MacDonald plan's naval features.

The State department is inclined to view the Japanese naval demands at Geneva as largely of a bargaining nature. It is pointed out that the London Treaty applies until 1936.—*Reuter.*

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Fischer of Prague in an address
before the Austrian Society for
Psychical Research.

The bank clerk, whose name
was Raimann, when shown a
poacher's shooting stick, an
ordinary sporting gun and a
small silver box, was able to
describe with astounding ac-
curacy, the murderous deed
associated with the objects.

On another occasion an even
more remarkable test was made,
for Raimann was led into the
police museum in Prague, and
shown some objects whose history
neither Prof. Fischer nor the con-
ducting police official knew. The
objects were a revolver, a stake,
and a paving stone, but Prof.
Fischer, to make the test harder,
had inserted a duplicate revolver,
paving-stone and stake.

Without hesitation Raimann
pushed the "fake" objects aside,
and described in detail the
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phones in the world which can
ring at any hour of the day or
night—14,485,917 more than there
were in 1921, or 1.8 for every 100
inhabitants.

But instead of installing more
telephones, the United States and
Canada are having them taken out.
Since 1930 the telephone as a
means of communication has de-
creased in importance there—due
to the prolonged period of trade
and economic depression. The
number of instruments in use
there now shows a decrease of 6
per cent since 1930.

Europe, on the contrary, has
installed 100 per cent more tele-
phones in these past ten years.

the genuine objects.
Subsequent research in the
police records showed that Rai-
mann's account of the crime had
been correct in every particular.
—Reuter.

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the Chief ruled against future re-
scues of this kind on private prop-
erty. The edict will not apply,
however, to cats wise enough to
choose trees on public property.
—Reuter.

There are now, in Europe, from
1.2 to 2 telephones for every 100
persons.

Asia has increased its supply of
telephones 153 per cent since 1921.
Of the 756,895 added in ten years,
Japan claims 582,560 them.

Africa shows the least develop-
ment in telephone extension.
Only 247,000 new ones were
installed in ten years. In that
time Australia has added 520,169
New Zealand 164,739.

Denmark is the country that
makes the most telephone calls per
head of the population.

Sweden is second.
San Francisco (California) is
still the city with the most tele-
phones. It has 40.2 per 100
inhabitants. Stockholm is next
with 30. Helsingfors has 14.
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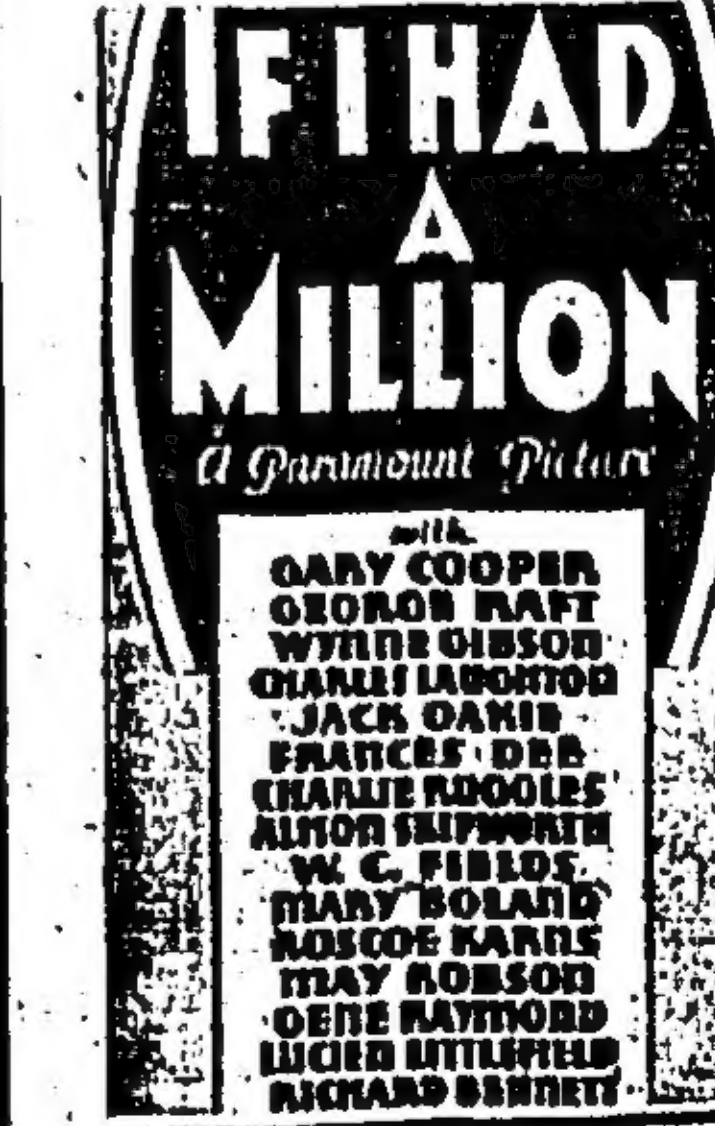
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In spite of the Mexican Govern-
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boycott in Chihuahua continues.
Guards are still blocking
Chinese farmers from marketing
their vegetables.

It is reported that a girl at-
tempting to enter a Chinese shop
was badly beaten, while the police
refused to intervene.—Reuter.

Deportees for H.K.

Shanghai, May 26.
Over 100 Chinese nationals who
were deported from Mexico ar-
rived here this morning and will
leave for Hongkong this evening.
—Reuter.